

50 PERISH IN JAP QUAKE

Tokio, Yokohama And Other Districts Hit

What's It About



Here is a close-up of Dr. Hermes former German minister of finance. He arrived in New York from Germany New Year Day on a mysterious mission for his government.

Protection Abandoned By British Government

LONDON, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The Parliamentary labor party today decided to bring up the question of confidence in the Baldwin government for decision during the debate on the reply to the speech from the throne.

LONDON, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The King's speech from the throne, which was read by King George at the formal opening of parliament in the House of Lords this morning, referred to the recent rejection of protection by the country and indicated that the government had abandoned such a policy.

The speech said that the question of the extension of imperial preference, discussed at the recent imperial conference, would be submitted to the new parliament.

The government and the dominions, it asserted, have been anxious to remove all difficulties in regard to the illicit importation of liquor into the United States, and it pointed out that an agreement between the two countries on this issue was about to be concluded.

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Husband Of Novelist May Ask Divorce

NEW YORK, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Robert J. Sanderson, husband of Nina Wiles, Putnam Sanderson, novelist, whose decree of divorce obtained in a Rhode Island court was recently vacated, in a formal statement, said he had instructed his attorneys to begin an investigation to determine whether grounds exist on which I should bring an action for divorce against my wife.

The brief statement concluded as follows:

"In fairness to her the public should wait its judgment, until the facts are known."

LARGE EXPORT

OTTAWA, ONTARIO, January 15.—(By the United Press)—Canada exported \$4,778,000 worth of cheese during October, 1923.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS By J. P. Alley

OP'NITY DON' NEVUH
COVE T' DE COLLECTUH
WHUT KNOCKS TOO LOUD
ON DE DO'!!



Prayed As The Fire Raged

CLEVELAND, O., January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The Ursuline Sisters, who teach in St. Patrick's Parochial School, continued their evening prayers while firemen battled a second alarm of fire in the school house, next door to the nuns' home last night. The property damage was small.

"Posse" of Steamboats On Trail of Runaway Barges

PITTSBURGH, PA., January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—A dozen steel barges, three of them loaded with steel products, were adrift in the Ohio river today, having broken from their moorings last night at the dock of the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation. Several steamboats are in pursuit of the runaways and warnings have been sent to points along the Ohio river to prevent possible collision with other craft. The barges broke loose when a fleet of barges loaded with steel products for Cairo, Ill., and points along the Mississippi river, was being assembled.

The shipmen south was to have started today.

EGAN HAS RELAPSE

NEW YORK, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Maurice Francis Egan, writer and former minister to Denmark, who has been in ill health for several months, has suffered a relapse. He was said to be in a critical condition.

Holds On!



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Mrs. Bessie Parker Brueggeman is the only woman chairman of an independent federal committee in the United States today. She leads the U. S. Employees Compensation Commission under an appointment made by the late President Harding.

Fire Reported Raging In Tokio Suburbs .

OSAKA, Jan. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Fire is raging in the suburbs of Tokio, one train was thrown into a river at Banyugawa, and six trains overturned between Gotemba and Tokio as a result of the earthquake, which shook Tokio and the vicinity this morning.

The emperor and the empress, who were in the imperial villa at Numadzu when the shock occurred, were reported safe. The villa was undamaged. The prince regent and Princess Nagako also are reported safe.

Houses Demolished At Numadzu

SHANGHAI, Jan. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Houses were demolished at Numadzu on Suruga Bay, southwest of Tokio, where the imperial villa is located, and extensive damage caused throughout the territory in the vicinity by an earthquake this morning according to reports from the Kobe Railway Bureau.

Almost complete demolition of telephone, telegraph and railway communication lines in a belt extending from Tokio southward along the coast of Nagoya, at least, nearly 200 miles away, is reported. Tokio and Yokohama are said to have been isolated for a short time after the earthquake was felt.

Yokohama Again Hard Hit By Quake

TOKIO, Jan. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Six persons were killed and nearly 200 injured in Yokohama, and four killed and at least 20 injured in Tokio, by the second great earthquake disaster in five months to strike the two Japanese cities and vicinity this morning.

The statistics were given out by police. One report stated that six hundred houses had been demolished in Yokohama.

Oduwara, a city on Kawatsu Bay, about 75 miles southwest of here, suffered the greatest damage from the tremor, as it did last September when vast sections of both Yokohama and Tokio and surrounding cities virtually were destroyed.

Water mains were ripped from their places and smashed by the quake and water flooded the streets and hundreds of homes in the two cities following the shock this morning.

Big buildings of modern construction which were badly damaged and in many instances still in partial ruin from the disaster of last September, were further damaged by today's tremor.

The cabinet went into session immediately after the earthquake to consider relief measures and to obtain information regarding the extent of the damage.

The stock market suspended operations owing to the failure of communications.

Quake Felt 200 Miles From Tokio

SHANGHAI, Jan. 15.—Extensive damage, including destruction of houses at Numadzu and interruption of all communication in the vicinity of Tokio and Yokohama has followed in the wake of a heavy earthquake which occurred this morning, according to advices received from the affected district by the Nihon Dempa, a Japanese press association here.

The reports state that the emperor and empress are safe at Numadzu, despite widespread destruction in that city, in which many houses are said to have been shaken down. The imperial villa, located at Numadzu, was not damaged, however, the reports state.

The area of greatest damage is said to have been between the towns of Gotemba, which is about 80 miles southwest of Tokio, and Koza, and southward in the vicinity of Hakone, according to reports received over a single railway line, kept in operation by the Kobe Railway Bureau, between Tokio and Honshu.

Slight damage was suffered by the district between Tokio and Koza, advised from this source stated. The quake was felt at Nagoya, about 200 miles southwest of Tokio in the province of Owari, and in Shizuoka, in Suruga province, along Suruga Bay.

The meteorological observatory at Osaka announced after the quake that the width of the oscillations recorded on the seismograph by the earth shock was 30-50 millimeters. The quake lasted for 15 minutes. The seismological center apparently was off the Kishu coast, it was stated.

The Eastern News Agency has received reports that the damage to Tokio was not extensive, but that it was severe in the Kwanpo district and east of Hakone, in Suruga province, where telephone, telegraph and train service was stopped as a result of damage wrought by the earth shocks.

Advices received by the Nihon Dempa at 6 o'clock this morning from Osaka stated that there was no sign of any outbreak of fire at Tokio. A report from Takazaki, city near Tokio, however stated that telephone service at the capital had been suspended and the street railway lines put out of commission. The water system, although crippled, was being operated at that time, it was said.

Order Engines Repaired

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Passenger service on the Pennsylvania Railroad, blocked for several hours here yesterday by orders of inspectors for fare reduction proposals, and the Interstate Commerce Commission withdrawing a number of locomotives for repairs, was almost normal today, officials of the road said. Several trains yesterday were delayed from three to five hours while locomotives were repaired. Among the trains held up were two sections of the west bound express fare train between New York and St. Louis.

A. F. Hoffmeister and A. J. Breed, the inspectors, declined to say what defects were found in the locomotives, but said they would report to the commission at Washington.

Day Out For
Governor

YOUNGSTOWN, O., January 15.—(By the United Press)—Arthur J. Day, of Cleveland, will enter the Republican race for governor. Thomas McKee, who will be his campaign manager today said formal announcement will be made in Cleveland in a short time. McKee said he has completed a tour of the state and finds sentiment strong for Day.

TO FIX CONVENTION CITY

PHILADELPHIA, PA., January 15.—(By the United Press)—The Executive Board of the American Bar Association convened here today for its regular mid-winter meeting. The principal business to come before the board will be naming of a city for the regular annual convention of the American Bar Association.

TRADING WITH ENGLAND

MOSCOW, January 15.—(By the United Press)—Russia is transferring much of her trade from Germany to Great Britain. German prices are now higher than those quoted by British manufacturers, and Germany cannot make prompt deliveries.

NEW ZEALAND HEARS U. S.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF., January 15.—(By the United Press)—Ivan A. Bollinger, father of ten children, was killed by a bull at Acre, near here. He entered a pasture to inspect some young prize cattle, when the bull, which was a favorite with Bollinger, and thought to be thoroughly docile, attacked him.

POP SAID AT HE WAS GOING
TO HAVE QUIET TONIGHT
EVEN IF HE HAD TO BUY
LOLLYPOPS FOR ME AN
A NEW HAT FOR MAY

S. A. WANTS AMERICANS

LOS ANGELES, CALIF., January 15.—(By the United Press)—"Go to South America" was the advice given here to the south of the United States by Arnold Brophy, representative of agricultural implement companies in South America. Before the war, Germany was training hundreds of young men to take charge of the various German interests in South America, but the nations are in need of new United States blood.

"Baby Mine"

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ENGINEER MAKES RECORD

NEW YORK, N. Y., January 15.—(By the United Press)—William Pettyway, Norfolk Southern Railroad engineer, has begun the 25th year of his career as a locomotive driver. Pettyway has been injured and the veteran railroader has never received a scratch in the service. He has served on four roads, the Atlantic Coast Line, Southern, the Plant System, now a part of the Coast Line, and the Norfolk South-

Closed Race
By Cities
For Demmy
Convention

WASHINGTON, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The contest for the 1924 Democratic national convention simmered down today to New York and San Francisco.

San Francisco's offer of a \$200,000 purse, it was said, would be met by a similar bid by New York.

The New York delegation was counting on the support of Chicago, which along with St. Louis, seemed to be out of the contest.

WASHINGTON, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The lucky number was still a mystery today as the Democratic National Committee met to select the city for the party's 1924 convention. In the close four-cornered between Chicago, New York, San Francisco and St. Louis for the committee's decision, supporters of each were confident as they went to the polls at the convening of the committee, with the result expected late in the day, after a morning session devoted to routing affairs and formal presentation of the invitations.

The morning session was open but choice of the convention site and selection of data were to come in closed session this afternoon. The convention is expected to open the first week of July.

Candidacies of William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, and Senator Underwood, of Alabama, for the party's presidential nomination, together with the potential interests of other "favorite son" and "dark horse" contestants, continued to be strong factors in the consideration of the convention city. Mr. McAdoo's action in declining a telegram to a member of the New York delegation any personal effort to influence the choice, while expressing a leaning toward San Francisco because of his California residence but denying hostility to New York, was regarded as aiding the New York cause, also as being in the interest of party harmony.

New York Stock Rises

Now stock in the convention city apparently took a sharp rise as a result of Mr. McAdoo's message. The Empire State backers were extremely hopeful today that the committee's choice would fall upon them, in their plan that New York, great Democratic stronghold, had not had a Democratic convention since 1888. Acting Mayor Hubert and Joseph P. Day, chairman of the civic committee, were chosen to present New York's invitation, accompanied with a cash offer of at least \$100,000.

In addition to the selection of the convention city, the National Committee today had before it the question of meeting its treasury deficit of about \$150,000 and electing a secretary to succeed Ed Hoffman, of Indiana, resigned.

Asks Troops
Be Recalled

MARION, ILL., January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Sheriff George Galligan, today requested Governor Small to recall the troops from Williamson county. Everything was quiet in the county today, following the eight dry raids made by Sheriff Galligan yesterday, unaided by citizens, although he said he had requested aid.

Bandits Rob Bank

ST. LOUIS, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Six men armed with revolvers entered the West End Trust and Savings Bank here this morning, and after firing several shots into the windows, escaped with \$26,000 in cash.

Billy Butt-In
TEE TIMES WEATHER MAN

Illustration: A cartoon by J. P. Alley. It shows a man with a mustache and a bowler hat, looking slightly worried. He is holding a pipe in his mouth. The background is simple, showing a few buildings and a road.

Holding down the public, and the weather job at the same time sort of keeps one jumping, especially as there's a lot of goose-bone, ground-hog, pig tail, corn fodder weather dopesters that keep residents in a turmoil by predictin' everything but the right thing. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Increasing cloudiness followed by rain or snow late tonight or Wednesday. Warmer tonight and in east portion Wednesday.

KENTUCKY—Rain and possibly sleet tonight and Wednesday. Warmer tonight and in east portion.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 40; low, 12.

PAGE TWO

LYRIC TONIGHT

15 and 30c

CONTINUOUS SHOWS

1, 3, 5,

7, 9



A METRO PICTURE

VIOLA DANA IN HER FATAL MILLIONS

—ALSO—

PATHE COMEDY “ROUGHING IT”

Local Physicians Approve Plan To Immunize Children From Diphtheria

Hempstead Academy of Medicine in session at the Mary Louise, Monday night, approved the movement to immunize the school children of Portmouth from diphtheria by means of toxin-anti-toxin such as is soon to be administered to the school children of Youngstown.

The action of the physicians came after presentation of the work of immunization by Dr. Frank G. Bouguer of Columbus, assistant director of the Ohio health department, in which the Schick test and immunization theory were discussed.

In the address the Columbus physician pointed out that in one school where only one third of the pupils had been immunized, the death rate from diphtheria had been reduced fifty per cent.

Stereopticon slides illustrated the address.

Dr. Edward Wagner of Cincinnati spoke on children's stomach dis-

eases.

Tests made of several Portmouth school children to ascertain their immunity to diphtheria were also discussed by the physicians, and the children were present at the meeting.

Lunch was served following the lecture. Dr. J. G. Martin, president of the Academy, presided.

Improvement continues

Continued improvement was noted Tuesday in the condition of Frank McDaniel of the West Side, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis in the Hospital.

Condition Series

Carry Olinger, who lives at the Biggs House, was removed to the Hospital Monday and operated upon for appendicitis. The appendix had burst and his condition is serious.

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LOCAL WOMAN SWallows POISON

In Critical Condition In Columbus Hospital; Believe Despondency Was Motive

Suffering from poison which she told attendants in St. Francis Hospital, Columbus, she swallowed last night, a woman who said her name was Mrs. Jessie Baca, aged 18, and gave Portmouth as her home, is in a critical condition.

Removed there shortly after taking the poison the victim refused to discuss any phase of her attempt at self destruction.

Muttering incoherently most of the day, the woman said her mother, Mrs. Jason Gray, lived at 1110 1/2 Kendall Avenue, Portsmouth. She left two notes, one to her husband, A. J. Baca, who is in Detroit, and one to her mother.

A Times man located Mrs. Gray at a neighbor's home this afternoon and apprised her of her daughter's act. She said that her daughter left here two weeks ago to accept employment in Columbus.

"I received a letter from her Mon-

day and she said she was working every day and getting along fine. She made anxious inquiries about her son, Charles, aged two years, who has been entrusted to my care. My daughter has been separated from her husband for some time," Mrs. Gray told a Times man today. Asked where he was, she said, "Why I suppose he is in Detroit. He was the last time we heard from him."

Mrs. Gray said Baca was a foreigner and that she married her daughter three years ago. "They did not live together very long," she said.

According to word from the St. Francis Hospital this afternoon, Mrs. Baca was in a serious condition and was only conscious at times. She was on a downtown business street when she swallowed the poison.

Mrs. Gray attributed her daughter's act to despondency, saying she repeatedly talked about her marriage venture being an unhappy one.

Bo yRun Down By Auto

Severe bruises about the back were sustained by Daniel Lloyd, seven-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Lloyd, 883 Sixth street, Monday evening about five o'clock, when a machine, driven by Frank Gusele, West Side, ran over him in front of the Lloyd home. It was first thought that the boy's spine was seriously injured, but an X-ray taken of his back and his condition today indicated the injuries were not of a serious nature. The driver of the machine, which was going slow, was absorbed from all blame.

Daniel and a companion, Edward Staehler, of 824 Sixth street, son of the Gulla street jeweler of the same name, had been playing in the vicinity of their homes, with their sleds. Young Staehler was on the south side of the street with his dog, while Lloyd, playing with a sled, was on

the opposite side. Staehler picked up his dog, he told the family last night, when he saw a mongrel rushing his way, but Lloyd, not seeing his action and wishing to prevent a fight between the two animals, started across the street, hot on the mongrel's heels.

The boy was unable to stop on the slippery street when he darted out in front of the oncoming Ford, but instead threw himself flat on his stomach in an effort to stop.

The space was too narrow to allow the driver to stop, however, and the front wheel passed over the boy's back, the machine stopping before the rear wheels could reach the victim.

Gusele picked up the boy and carried him to his home. Dr. L. D. Alford was summoned, and attended young Lloyd's injuries, assisted by Drs. Tufts Nunnemaker and D. A. Berndt.

TO CELEBRATE DI AMOND JUBILEE

Four candidates received the 50th anniversary rank at the weekly session of Magnolia Lodge K. of P. Monday night. Noted has been received that the Knights of Pythias will celebrate their diamond jubilee, or 60th

anniversary, the week of February 19. The local lodge will plan a special meeting for that week. To-night a delegation of Magnolia members will visit with Peerless Lodge K. of P.

SECOND OFFENSE; FINED \$500

Albert Fulk, grocer, of Twelfth street, near Gay, was found to be guilty of possession of liquor at the conclusion of a hearing in Municipal court Monday afternoon, and because it was his second offense, Judge Sprague passed him a fine of \$500.

Attorneys C. M. Searl and T. C. Bentz excepted to the finding and judgment of the court and gave notice of their intention of prosecuting error proceedings to the Common Pleas court.

Attorneys John W. Waugh of Ashland and R. T. Person of Greenup were in Portsmouth Tuesday to take depositions in the Millard Lewis murder case to be heard in circuit court in Greenup, starting Thursday, January 31. Lewis is accused of killing the late Leeteber Philpot of South Portsmouth, who was fatally wounded as he was crossing the Ohio on the local C. & O. ferry. Lewis, the alleged gun user, jumped off the boat, swam to shore and later surrendered to Greenup authorities.

Twice within a week New Boston police arrested Reed McGuire of Stanton Avenue on charges of violating the prohibition laws by having moonshine in his home. He was fined \$100 and costs last week by Mayor V. R. Bierley. Sunday he was taken into custody again when Mayor Bierley for lack of evidence visited his home and claim-

ed he had been drinking.

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Marguerite de la Motte
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Noah Beery
William V. Mong
Directed by James Young
A FIRST NATIONAL PICTURE
WITH
TWO REEL COMEDY
AND PATHÉ NEWS

JACKSON YOUTH HELD FOR
MISAPPROPRIATION OF POSTAL FUNDS

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 15.—(Special to The Times)—Kenneth M. Ewing, son of Frank D. Ewing, prominent Jackson citizen, and former shoe dealer, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Wright on a charge of misappropriation of post office funds Saturday.

Ewing was an employee of the Jackson post office.

The alleged act dated between July 1, 1923, and Friday of last week.

when Ewing was apprehended by a postal official.

Bond of \$500 was set for Ewing's appearance in Federal court.

The arrest was made by Postal Inspector Clohessy of Portsmouth. Postmaster Jess Balve, former sheriff, has declined to make public any of the circumstances surrounding the affair.

Ewing, who is one of Jackson's prominent young men, returned to his home after arraignment.

PATENT INFRINGED ON, COURT SAYS

CINCINNATI, January 15.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals here today affirmed the decree of U. S. District Judge Smith Hickenlooper holding that a patent on baseball masks

issued to James E. Johnstone, Newark, N. J., well known ball player and umpire, had been infringed on by the P. Goldsmith Sons Company, manufacturers, and John Spinney, retail dealers of this city.

SOCIETY

At a called meeting held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Doerr on Fourth street last evening officers of the American Legion Auxiliary, the executive council and the committee in charge of the card party to be given in the Legion Hall on Tuesday evening, January 29th, final arrangements were made for the party, which promises to be one of the most enjoyable affairs of the mid-winter season. Announcement was also made that the Auxiliary had completed forty linen card table covers which they will rent out to any who might wish them. Those desiring to make reservations for the card party should call Mrs. Howard T. Moore of Washington street.

The members of the Ketchem Auxiliary of the Second Presbyterian Church held a meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Carlyle on Second street. The hostesses were Mrs. Robert Bryan, group leader; Mrs. H. C. Bugh, Mrs. B. E. Leete, Mrs. W. E. Gemmill, Mrs. Chester Davidson and Mrs. Russell Becker.

Mrs. W. S. Sellards led the devotions and Mrs. E. C. Trecker read a paper on the foreign topic, "Christianity in the Mind of Friends and Poets." During the election of officers, the following ladies were chosen: president, Mrs. Stanley Jones; vice-president, Mrs. E. C. Tucker; secretary, Mrs. J. G. Murray; treasurer, Mrs. Robert Bryan; recorder of literature, Mrs. Paul Revere.

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BIRTHS

A son was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. James Buckner of 1129 Fifteenth street.

Born at Hempstead hospital Sunday night, son, their first child, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williford.

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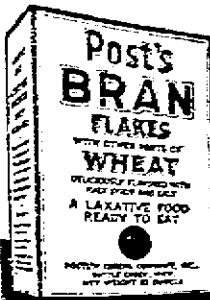
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Protection

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fect which should further strengthen the happy relations between Great Britain and America.

Faced Situation Squarely

LONDON, January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The much mooted question of how the Baldwin government, in view of its overwhelming defeat in the recent election on the protective issue, would handle that subject in the King's speech at the opening of the new parliament was settled today when the monarch, reading his ministers' pronouncement candidly referred to the country's rejection of the tariff proposals and indicated their abandonment by the government.

Mr. Baldwin thus faced the situation squarely in what is generally regarded as his swan song, as the political experts see nothing but defeat for him in the forthcoming vote of confidence.

But on analysis this swan song proved, in the opinion of expert observers, to be a shrewd and clever effort to spike the guns of labor, which is expected to assume power soon. A large part of the speech was devoted to a discussion of bills which the Baldwin government would submit for the benefit of the working classes, were it permitted to remain in power.

The speech furnished one of the most extensive lists of proposed measures favorable to labor that was ever placed in a king's message. In fact, the labor party itself could hardly have issued a more striking pronouncement.

The plans cited included proposals for the betterment of industrial conditions, provision for the much needed houses for workers, amelioration of unemployment and the re-adjustment of old age pensions.

RHEUMATICS

Throw away your crutches, use Rheuma and walk without agonizing pains and stiffness, says Wurster Bros., who sells this great rheumatism remedy on the no-cure-no-pay plan. Rheuma is not expensive and sold by good druggists everywhere.

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Fifty-Eighth Bone Break

COVINGTON, KY., January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Arthur Gamble, photographer, is at a Covington hospital recovering from what is sold to be the fifty-eighth fracture of a bone he has suffered due to slight accidents. Gamble is a sufferer from an affection of the bones which makes them easy to break, and when he tripped on a rug in his studio and fell last Sunday, his left leg was broken at the knee.

The next number on the lecture course will be on Monday, January 21.

Who'll Take 'Em On?

The Franklin Avenue Independent Basket Ball team challenges any team in Portsmouth, Webster, Wheelersburg or Sciotoville and would like very much to get a game with the N. S. W. Five. For games call 1344-1, after 4 o'clock. Ask for Howard Brehmer. The team consists of stars such as Ross, Brehmer, Craig, Barker, Culver, Rulison, Martin, Will either play there or here.

Quintet Pleases

A well filled auditorium greeted the Cleveland Symphonic Quintet when they appeared last night as the fourth number on the Portsmouth high school lecture course. A splendid program of classical music was given.

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Enter League

The "Flying Deacons," known at the senior team of the M. E. Club of Sciotoville, wishes to announce that they will enter the East End Bustle Ball League. This is the second year for the "Flying Deacons." This will cause the other teams to do some fast stepping in order to head the Flying Deacons in winning the loving cup. Dewey McElroy of Sciotoville is coaching the Flying Deacons.

Injured In Fall

OAK HILL, January 15.—While at the home of her grand-daughter, Mrs. Clyde Jones, Sunday evening, Mrs. Bette Stevens had the misfortune to slip on the linoleum in the kitchen and in the fall sustaining a broken elbow and badly injured her left leg. She suffered considerable pain all night, but is resting easier today, although unable to be moved to her home.

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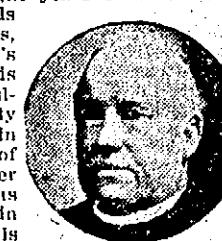
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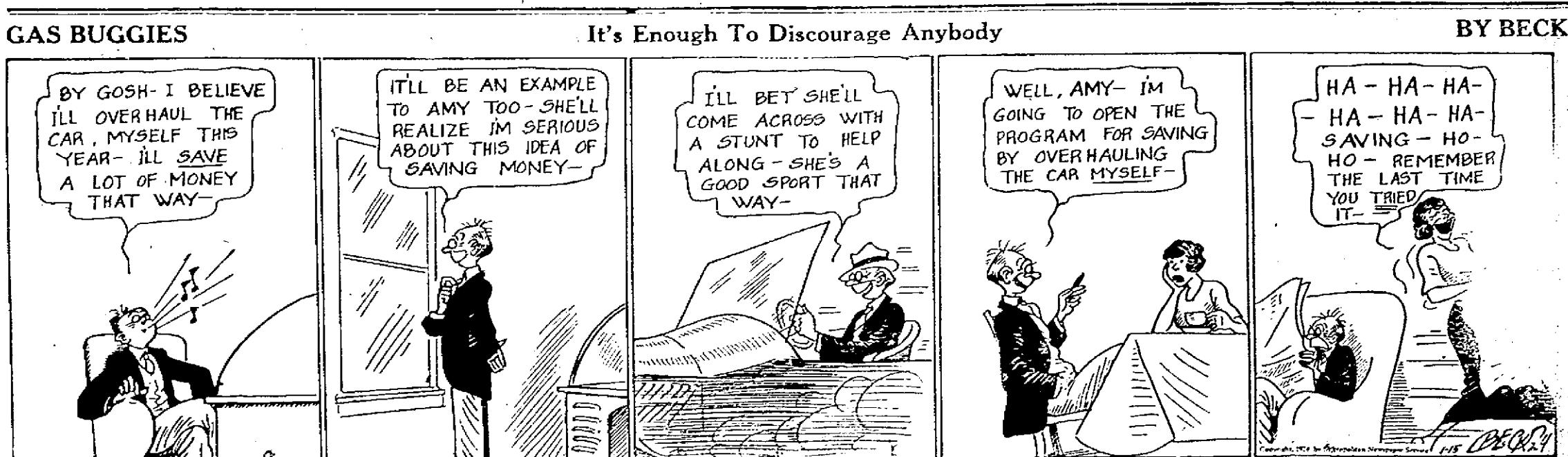
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AL SOTHORON

St. Louis is to get another look at Al Sotheron as a big league pitcher this year. Sotheron has been brought back from the minors to pitch for the St. Louis Cardinals. Sotheron used to be a star with the St. Louis Browns and later a dependable on the Cleveland staff.



It's Enough To Discourage Anybody



BY BECK

FIRE WIPES OUT PLANT OF THE McDERMOTT STONE CO.; WILL BE REBUILT AT ONCE

**LOSS BETWEEN \$150,000 AND \$200,000
ONLY PARTIALLY INSURED; FIRE STARTED
IN ENGINE ROOM AND SPREAD RAPIDLY**

Property valued at between \$150,000 and \$200,000 was destroyed, and eighty men were thrown out of employment Monday evening when fire reduced to ashes the plant of the McDermott Stone Company at McDermott.

Valuable machinery, which will be hard to replace, was badly damaged.

Securing new machinery will be the only great delay in resuming operations as steps are already being taken to rebuild the main plant.

The loss was only about one-fourth covered by insurance.

The fire started in the engine room of the plant shortly after five o'clock yesterday evening after all the employees, with the exception of Watchman James Stumbo, had left for their homes.

Stumbo was filling a torch when some of the fuel spilled onto some waste, which ignited and set fire to the workbench on which Stumbo was working.

The watchman unable to find a

handy supply of water, blew the plant whistle, sounding the fire alarm, and many workmen hastened back to the plant, having not yet reached their homes.

The eastern structure was of frame construction and the flames made rapid headway and were beyond control within a short time.

Bucket brigades were easily formed, but they were of no avail in checking the flames.

Unable to save any part of the big plant, the fire-fighters turned their attention to nearby property and succeeded in soaking two dairies and office building to prevent them from catching fire from burning brands.

Part of the main plant was twenty years old, but another section was built just eight years ago.

The burning frame walls of the top part of the structure allowed the overhead machinery to fall.

Considerable line shafting was fastened near the roof supports and in falling this was badly damaged.

The only piece of machinery saved was a wire saw.

Although the roof and parts of the sides had fallen in within an hour after the fire started, there was still a blaze in the ruins as late as one o'clock last night.

Not only did the workmen return

WEST UNION MAYOR ADMITS HIS GUILT IN OWN COURT; FINES HIMSELF

And so the mayor had himself arrested, fined himself \$1 and costs, and paid cash, after which his honor released himself from custody.

Fairy tale?

No, siree, Bob!

A real story which actually happened.

Saturday, so the story goes, there was a meeting of Jefferson township men, interested in a new high school building, held at the county commissioner's office in the court house.

Attending the meeting were Mayor E. E. Williams of West Union, who owns a farm in Jefferson township, and Dr. O. E. McHenry, prominent physician of Jefferson.

In the course of the meeting, Dr. McHenry made a speech. Mayor Williams disagreed with

the physician's premise.

And an altercation ensued.

The mayor felt that the peace had been violated and outraged, and that the dignity of the commonwealth had been offended.

So he sought out a "quire" and asked to have himself arrested on a charge of provoking a breach of the peace.

The "quire" refused to "take the case."

Not to be foiled in his desire and purpose to revenge the outrages done to justice, the mayor went to his office, filed a complaint against himself, and proceeded to hold court.

"Guilty" was the verdict, and the Mayor fined E. E. Williams \$1 and costs, which the defendant paid, thus securing his release from the clutches of an avenged law.

Men Serve Supper to 91 In First Christian Conference

The men served the supper to the Conference of officers and teachers of the First Christian Bible school last evening at the quarters in the basement of the church to plan for 1924 and break bread, and fellowship together for an hour.

Supt. C. M. Howland was one of the happiest there if it were possible for him to be any happier than C. C. Brock and his co-workers of the Loyal Men's class who were in charge of everything from the baking of the plates, waiting table, etc. to washing the dishes.

And, to tell the honest truth it was no mean supper. John R. Williams, S. D. Woods and others whose fame as cooks has spread beyond the confines of this ballyhoo, were in charge of the culinary operations, while Carey D. Roberts, F. F. Irwin, Chester Keer, C. L. Warren and their helpers passed out the grub.

At the finish of the meal the Supt. called for order but with the calls for cherry pie, he had some difficulty in getting absolute quiet that he might proceed with the work to hand.

Practically all of the workers from each department were there and bubbling over with enthusiasm for the welfare of the school. The company was one of the oldest stone companies in this section of Ohio and did a big business in Scioto county stone, operating quarries and plant on a production scale of almost one hundred per cent the greater part of each year.

The Waller Bros. stone company, located about a mile from the McDermott plant, and the McDermott Stone Co. provided employment for most of the working men in the McDermott vicinity.

The community, while staggering under the blow of having one of its chief sources of employment swept away by the flames, maintained an optimistic attitude last night, and news from the officials of the company that a rebuild

program would go forward at once, was received with enthusiasm.

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which started Monday indicated that the jury would get the cast to conclude the murder trial of Dewey Evans' night. The defense expects to con-

clude its introduction of evidence this afternoon and arguments were expected to begin late in the afternoon. The case is being heard before Judge Will P. Stephenson and a jury which was sequestered early Monday. One woman, Mrs. Ethel Arnold is on the jury.

Evans is charged with second degree murder in connection with the death of Alfred Horsely, Jan. 17, 1923. The defendant claims self-defense alleging that Horsely attacked him and that he shot in protecting his own life. The fatal shooting occurred following an argument near Rome, a young woman

who was involved being present at the shooting.

Elvie Lewis, Portsmouth, and Charles Dixon, New Boston, are two of the large number of witnesses for the defense. They have testified to previous trouble that Horsely was in. The defense at one o'clock today had four more witnesses to place on the stand including the defendant.

The state yesterday rested its case after examining seven of twenty witnesses summoned.

Prosecutor J. R. B. Kessler repre-

sent the state and Atty. G. E. Rob-

buck appears for the defendant.

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2 tablespoons BLUE CIRCLE BRAND evaporated apples.
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2 whites of egg
1/2 cup nut meats
Whipped cream
Flavoring
Slice three bananas, take skins of two and beat very stiff, after which fold in two tablespoons of BLUE CIRCLE BRAND evaporated Apple Snow, add half cup nut meats, and beat together. May be served with whipped cream. Flavor with vanilla or nutmeg.



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Ohio Miners May Not Ask
For Wage Raise This Time

COLUMBUS, Jan. 15.—By the agreement, without interference from districts not directly affected by the proposed changes.

Of Inestimable Value

Southern Ohio operators, where Lee Hall, president of the Ohio miners, said today, activity was at a lower ebb last year than in any other bituminous field in the United States, are of the opinion that the "open contract" will be of inestimable value to their district.

President Hall told delegates today that "there is much suffering among miners and their families in southern Ohio" and that "conditions are growing steadily worse." Unless there is some immediate betterment, he said, these miners will be compelled to sacrifice their homes and to move to other districts either in Ohio or elsewhere.

Condemns "Oathay Strikes." "Oathay strikes" were condemned today by Mr. Hall, and William Roy, vice president of the Ohio miners. Both backed the "sanctity of the contract" and President Hall declared that in the future "agreements with operators must not be violated."

Admission that the mining industry was over-manned was made by Mr. Hall. "There are too many mines and too many miners," he said. Figures were cited showing that 90,000,000 tons of coal more than were needed, have been produced and are now above the ground, due to over-development of the industry.

TERMINAL CHURCH NEWS

The second quarterly conference will day evening after school. The Senior Choir will meet for practice at 7 o'clock Friday evening. The new books have come and will be used for these practices. Let us have a good attendance so that we may get familiar with the new song books as quickly as possible.

There will be practice for the plays on Wednesday afternoon and Friday afternoon after school.

The week beginning January 20 is National Thrift Week. In conjunction with the Y. M. C. A., we will observe this week. The sermon next Sunday morning will be in keeping with this plan. In the evening a motion picture will be shown at the church through the courtesy of Boys' Work Department of the Y. M. C. A. The subject of the picture is "Climbing Life's Hill." It is the story of the life of John Wanamaker, the great Christian businessman, and is most interesting and inspiring, but all will be cordially welcomed.

The Junior Choir will practice Fri-

Appeal To Farmers To Put
Farming On Business Basis

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—By the A. P.—An appeal to the farmers to put farming on a more businesslike basis, another appeal for the deepening of the waterways from the lakes to the gulf and from the lakes to the sea, an endorsement of the conference by President Coolidge and attack on socialistic and communistic methods, were the high spots at the initial session today of the farmers' and manufacturers' conference, sponsored by the Illinois Manufacturers' Association.

Taxes, the immigration question and the European and American trade relations also came in for a large part of the discussions.

John M. Kelley, of Baraboo, Wisconsin, a stockman, told the conference

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—Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known
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New Manager Here

E. B. Wycoff, of Columbus, is the new manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company here. He succeeds John McFarlin, who has been transferred to Cincinnati. Mr. Wycoff will move his family to Fourth street from Columbus this week. He has been with the company for more than 25 years.

After Games
The Fourth street Tom Cats would like to challenge any team weighing from 75 to 112. The tom cats will use the following players: Manley, Lummis, at forward; Spencer at center, and Parson and Parker at guards. For games call—2519 Y.

For Stiff Joints

Pharmacists say that when all other so-called remedies fail John-Ease will succeed. For joint aches, pains, inflamed, rheumatic joints, Joint-Ease limbers up the joints—is clean and stainless and quick results are assured—Sixty cents a tube at Fisher & Strickland Pharmacy and drug-gists everywhere.



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Wealthy Ohio Farmer Kills Wife
But Can Give No Reason For It

WAPAKONETA, OHIO, Jan. 15.—(By the A. P.)—Gray-haired and bent, William Mohler, 78, wealthy farmer of near Bluffton, calmly related to Anglaise and Allen county officials here today how he enticed his 68 year old wife, to whom he had been married 42 years, into a barn and killed her with a hatchet on the evening of December 30.

Mohler then narrated how he dismembered the body with the hatchet, a sickle and an ax in order to bury it in an abandoned cistern and burned her clothing in the furnace of his home. Denying that he and his wife had quarreled, Mohler could not explain a motive for the crime.

His confession was made to Prosecutor Timmermeister and Sheriff Robert Ewing of Auglaize county, and Prosecutor Lippencott and Sheriff Crosson of Allen county, after he was brought here from Lima when it was learned that efforts were being made to obtain his release. He had been in the Lima jail 26 hours before coming here.

Caution Give Motive
"I don't know why I killed her," Mohler said in his confession. "I told my wife I heard a noise in the barn and was going out to investigate. She wanted to come along, because she did not want me to go alone. We went

out there in the dark. I killed her with a hatchet."

The slaying occurred Sunday night, December 30, he said. Mohler drove to his old home at Postoria the next day, returning Tuesday night. In the meantime neighbors had missed the pair and called the sheriff.

Mohler, after his return, insisted his wife had disappeared during his absence and that he knew nothing about the cause. He offered a reward of \$500 for information.

Digs Up Body

Later, after the first excitement died down, he exhumed the body from a temporary grave in a shed, cut off the head, arms, and legs, with a sickle, and buried them with the torso in an abandoned sewer in the same shed. The grave was discovered Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and Mohler was immediately arrested. For 25 hours, though subjected to a continuous third degree, the aged man denied his guilt.

Finally the authorities took him to Wapakoneta, where he has friends, and with their assistance persuaded him to confess.

Feeling is running high in the vicinity of Bluffton, where the Mohlers were wealthy farmers. Mohler was arrested last fall and tried before a funny commission when he was suspected of buying nine barns on neighbors' farms, but Mrs. Mohler testified for him and he was acquitted.

OHIO IS FALLING HERE

After reaching a high mark of 46.0 feet on the present rise, the Ohio river started dropping back in the Portsmouth district last night and the stream recorded a mark of 39.8 feet here Tuesday morning when the water continued to recede.

Simmons Says He Is Still The Emperor Of Klan
And Asks Members To Ignore Ousting Order

ATLANTA, GA., Jan. 15.—(By the A. P.)—Declaring "I am emperor of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," William Joseph Simmons, founder of the organization today in a signed statement called upon fellow Klansmen to pay no attention to the order signed by H. W. Evans, imperial wizard, banishing him and E. Y. Clark, imperial giant, from the "invisible empire."

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"This is not, and should not be, my personal fight. I want to hear from those honest Klansmen who connected themselves with the order 'not for self but for others' and who are still loyal to our original principles and plans. Come willing to lead the fight to save the Klan to its original purposes, from which it has been wilfully turned away—I am still emperor."

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BRAGDON'S REMOVAL SALE

In a few weeks our new building will be ready for us, and rather than move our entire stock, we are giving you an opportunity to purchase merchandise at prices even below replacement price. We not only intend this to be the greatest economy sale in the history of the store, but the greatest saving opportunity ever given the people of Scioto county and neighboring towns. Those who have waited for this sale will not be disappointed.

This Sale Is Off With a Rush—Come Early and Get Your Share of The Bargains

Muslins and Sheetings

36 inch Hope Bleached Muslin	15c yd.
36 inch Bleached Muslin, soft finish, special	14c yd.
40 inch Brown Muslin, extra heavy, special	18c yd.
40 inch Brown Muslin, 20c value	16c yd.
81 inch 9-4 Bleached Sheetings	48c yd.
85 inch Brown, Unbleached Sheetings, 2 1-2 yds for only	\$1.00
81 inch 9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheetings	56c yd.
81 inch 9-4 Pepperell Brown Sheetings	52c yd.
40 inch Pillow Tubing, extra special	32c yd.
36 inch Conestoga Feather Tick, 59c value	48c yd.

Gingham, Wash Goods, Etc.

27 inch Fancy Dress Gingham, new spring styles for	16c yd.
32 inch New Spring Dress Gingham	23c yd.
32 inch Romper Cloth, Peggy	21c yd.
36 inch Light Percales	16c yd.
28 inch Everett Shirtings, plain and stripes	17c yd.
32 inch Soisette, all colors	39c yd.
27 inch Windsor Crepe, plain and fancy	25c yd.
32 inch Fancy Madras Shirting	29c yd.
32 inch White Madras Shirting	29c yd.
36 inch Bungalo Cretonnes	19c yd.

Silks and Woolens

40 inch Crepe De Chine, values to \$1.98, clean up price	98c yd.
36 inch Messaline, Black and Colors, values to \$1.89, \$1.19 yd.	98c yd.
36 inch Taffeta, Black and Colors, values to \$1.89 \$1.19 yd.	98c yd.
36 inch Fancy Silks, to clean up	98c yd.
22 inch Velveteen, several good colors, 89c value	59c yard
36 inch Silk and Wool Crepe, all colors	\$1.85 yard
36 inch All Wool Storm Serge, Navy, Brown, Black, 98c value	98c yard
40 inch Wool French Serge, Navy, Brown, Black, \$1.25 value	98c yard
50 inch All Wool Storm Serge, Navy, Brown, Copen, \$1.75 value	\$1.35 yard
Large Turkish Towels, 21x42 inch	23c
Table Oil Cloth, white and colors	29c yard
3-4 wide rubber sheeting	59c yard

Damask and Crash Specials

58 inch Mercerized Damask, special	48c yd.
64 inch Mercerized Damask, 98c value	59c yd.
64 inch Mercerized Colored Border Damask	85c yd.
72 inch Mercerized Damask, 89c value	65c yd.
58 inch Bates Colored Damask, 98c value	79c yd.
36 inch Long Cloth, 20c value	15c yd.
30 inch India Linen, 20c value	15c yd.
36 inch Pajama Check, white only	16c yd.
36 inch Pajama Check, white and colors	20c yd.
36 inch Baby Nainsook, 39c value	29c yd.
36 inch Baby Nainsook, 25c value	15c yd.

Remember Quantities on Many Articles Limited and When Once Sold, No More to be Had at These Sale Prices

Hosiery Bargains

One lot Silk Hose, black, brown and beige, some thread silk, values to \$1.00	48c pr.
Burson Sport Hose, all colors, 50c value	25c pr.
Spuntex, Thread Silk Hose, all colors, \$1.50 value for	\$1.19 pr.
One lot Thread Silk Hose, full fashioned, all colors, values to \$3.00, to clean up at	\$1.25 pr.
Cinderella Thread Silk Hose, all colors, full fashioned	\$1.89 pr.
Boys' and Girls' School Hose, black and brown, at	18c pr.
Boys' Bear Skin Hose, 35c value	23c pr.

Underwear at About 1-2 Price

Women's Gauze Vests, 25c value	15c
Women's fine, medium weight Union Suits, all styles, \$1.00 values, at	59c
Women's fine silk stripe Union Suits, short sleeves, knee length, \$1.50 value	98c
Women's fine Union Suits, tailored tops, tight and loose knee, \$1.00 quality	48c
Girls' Knit Panty Waist Suits, 89c value	65c
Boys' Fleeced Union Suits, 2 to 16 years, 75c to \$1.05 at	1-3 off
Boys' Ribbed Union Suits, 2 to 16 years, 65c to \$1.00 at	1-3 off
Girls' Union Suits, fleeced lined or ribbed, at 1-3 off	

Men's Underwear and Socks

Men's Wool Union Suits, \$2.50 value	\$1.48
Men's Ribbed Union Suits, \$1.50 value	\$1.00
Men's Heavy Part Wool Work Socks, 25c value for	15c pr.
Men's Silk Socks, all colors	42c pr.
Men's Work Shirts, \$1.00 value	59c
Men's Outing Pajamas	98c
Men's Outing Night Shirts	75c
Boys' Outing Pajamas	59c
Men's Shirts and Drawers, 89c value	59c
Boys' Blouses, 75c value	59c

Gloves, Handkerchiefs and Laces

Boys' and Men's Gloves, cloth lined and knit, 50c value for	25c pair
Special, one lot Women's fine Chamoisette Gloves, gauntlet and strap wrist, all colors, \$1.50 value for only 59c pair	
Women's fine Silk Gloves, black and white, regular \$1.00 value at 35c; 3 pair for	\$1.00
Men's all Linen Handkerchiefs, 35c value 18c, 2 for	35c
One lot 10 inch fine Embroidery Edge, 29c value 18c yard	
One lot 2 to 3 inch Embroidery Insertion, 10c value 3c yard	
One lot heavy Cluny Lace, 2 to 4 inches, 10c and 15c value for	5c yard
One lot Val Lace and Insertion, 5c value	1c yard

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Austin 66x80 Wool Blanket, in plaids, regular \$7.00 value at	\$4.98 pr.
Crib Blankets, grey and tan at	22c
Crib Blankets, pink and blue, \$1.10 value	75c
Fancy Border Scrims and Marquisette, 25c and 29c values	150 yd.
Net Curtain Strips, similar to Tuscan, values to \$3.00, go at	\$1.50 strip
Lace Curtains, values to \$2.48 pr.	\$1.50 pr.
Window Shades, 6 ft, white or green	48c

Ready-to-Wear at Prices Below Actual Cost

A beautiful line of Women's fine Silk and Wool Dresses at prices that will move them at once.	
Our regular \$10.00 Dresses go at	\$4.48
Our regular \$15.00 Dresses at	\$7.50
Our regular \$21.50 Dresses at	\$10.98
Our regular \$25.00 Dresses at	\$14.50
Our regular \$35.00 Dresses at	\$16.50
Come early they will not last long.	

STOUTS — In Silk And Wool — DRESSES	
Our regular \$10.75 Dresses at	\$5.98
Our regular \$15.98 Dresses at	\$8.98
Our regular \$25.00 Dresses at	\$11.98
Women's Fine Coats, values to \$25.00 at	\$14.48
Big reductions in all Children's Coats.	
Women's Outing Gowns, 98c value at	69c
A real bargain — One lot Women's Suits, plain and fur trimmed, values to \$35.00 go at	\$7.98
Special Prices on all Sweaters, White Wash Waists, Silk Blouses, etc.	

Notion Items That Are Cheap

Plain and Fancy Ribbons, 4 to 6 inch, values to 60c yard at	15c yd.
Mavis Talcum Powder, 25c box at	18c
Colgate Soap, 10c bar at	90c dozen
Dress Snaps, special	3c dozen
All Stickery and Trimming Braid	7c bolt
Pearl Buttons, 10c value	5c card
O. N. T. Crochet Cotton	8c
Stationery, Ravelstone Edge, tinted, 75c value 50c	
One lot Colored Silk Umbrellas, \$5.00 value	\$2.98
Colored Cotton Taffeta Umbrellas	\$2.00

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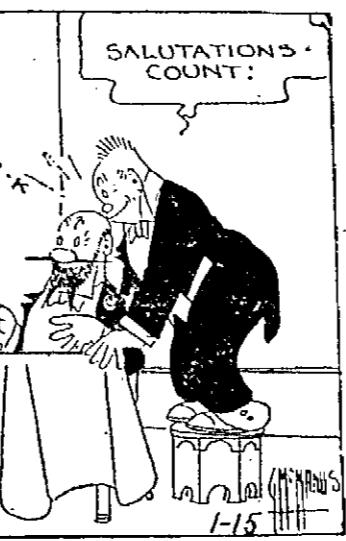
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BRINGING UP FATHER



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Three Found Dead, Victims of Gas

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., January 15.—Thomas F. Fay, his wife, Virginia, and her grand-daughter, Virginia Mae Sellers, were found dead in their home in Chesapeake, Ohio, last night, apparently victims of carbon monoxide gas.

The bodies were in an advanced stage of decomposition and it was the odor emanating from the house that first attracted the attention of neighbors. From all appearances the family had been dead for almost a week, and records show that Virginia Mae, 7, had not attended school since Monday, January 7.

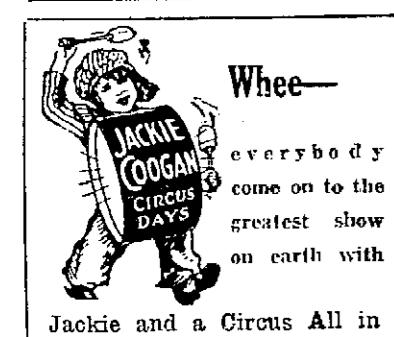
Coroner James S. Gannon of fronton, after a consultation with Dr. E. M. Marindell, stated that death had probably been due to asphyxiation with carbon monoxide fumes, generated from an overheated gas stove, as the deadly agent.

No member of the family had been seen since Monday, inquiry disclosed.

POISONED NERVES
CAUSE NEURITIS

Neuritis or "nerve inflammation" often follows an attack of malarial poison, typhoid fever, or other infectious disease. The most frequent causes of the trouble, however, are colds, injuries, bruises or nervous exhaustion.

Neuritis may effect one nerve or it may involve many. In some cases the pain moves from place to place, but usually it is confined to the shoulder, neck, forearm, thigh, leg or some other part of the body. The disease may be destroying the nerves. Such relief is deceptive and dangerous. Epsom Neuritis Tablets act in a safe, natural way, helping to remove the disease and giving permanent, lasting results. Go today and obtain a dollar bottle of these tablets. Sold in Portsmouth by Fisher & Streich Pharmacy; Boeckris & Runyon Co., manufacturers, San Francisco. —Advertisement.



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Coughing—a futile waste of strength

MEDICAL authorities agree that coughing aggravates the irritation in throat and lungs that is causing the cough and therefore only makes you cough the more. Control the cough and the irritation is soon relieved.

Dr. King's New Discovery stops coughing quickly by gently stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. Harmlessly and effectively the violent throat and chest spasms are quieted, and the inflammation then quickly clears away. It has an agreeable taste. All druggists.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY



Constant harking only makes a cough worse.

May Block The

Taxation Bill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—(By A. P.)—Passage of tax legislation at this session of congress has been jeopardized, in the opinion of Chairman Green of the house ways and means committee, by the action of the house today in repealing the Underwood rule which sought to restrict amendments from the floor of revenue bills and to curb debate.

After the house had revoked the rule Mr. Green expressed the opinion that such a flood of amendments might be offered to the revenue bill, once it reached the house, that action might be indefinitely delayed.

"If the tax bill," Mr. Green said, "goes before the house controlled only by the rules as amended today it would be practically impossible to pass it, even though a majority of the house was in favor of it."

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Begin Tax Hearing

The ways and means committee during the day began public hearings on changes sought in the present revenue law, a number of business representatives appearing to argue for repeal of various taxes. Further drafting of the bill by the committee will be suspended pending completion of the hearings which Chairman Green hopes will be accomplished by the close of the week.

Democrats continued today to bombard the Mellon tax revision plan, Senator Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi, charging in the senate that the banks and railroads have joined with the motion picture industry and certain newspapers in a campaign of propaganda for the Mellon tax plan. The Democratic national committee also issued a statement attacking the surtax features of the Mellon proposal.

With reference to the rules change, Mr. Green declared "amendment after amendment could be offered and the result would be very much as when the McKinley tariff bill was first brought before the house and it was found to be absolutely impossible to make any progress."

It would be perfectly easy for a small group to prolong discussion of the bill for more than six months.

Some Trip

Huntington high's basketball five on a three day trip lost three games as follows: Grafton, 28; Huntington, 25; Elkins, 25; Huntington, 17; Clarksburg, 20; Huntington, 10.

Some Good After All

Fifteen-year-old Michigan boy bowled a perfect game the other night, showing that boys who play in alleys come to some good after all.

FORFEIT GAME

The Flying Deacons won on a forfeit from the Fourth Street Tom Cats, last night, when the latter organization failed to show up at Wilhelmina Hall. The Deacons have become affiliated with the East End Basketball League.

Aint This Cute?

A wrestler will play first base for the Phillies next year and it is to be hoped that he doesn't try to throw any games.

Bone Broken

Samuel Griggs, 2169, Seventeenth street, is suffering with a broken bone in his left foot mashed when a casting fell on it several days ago in the N. & W. shop at East Portsmouth.

NE WOFFICE MAN

Dan Vandorfer, editor of the Valley Farmer, which is now being published at Manchester, will begin work Tuesday as office man for the Scioto County Farm Bureau. He succeeds Miss May Morgan, who recently resigned.

To Disentangle Plan

A referendum vote on the Park Place Plan which has aroused nationwide interest will be taken at the meeting of the Union British Lodge at its meeting Thursday evening.

TO BUILD HOME

Architects C. C. Taylor and Son are preparing plans for an English type cottage, brick and stone, to be erected in York addition, Fourth street, for Alfred Schaefer, of 215 Union street. Bids will be called for and the contract awarded. It is expected, in time to permit construction as soon as good weather allows.

Pine is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its prompt elimination of odors. Pine oil, 2½ ounces. Ask your druggist for 2½ ounces of Pinex with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Mr. Schaefer is a son of Joseph Schaefer, well known Market street grocer.

Death Calls
Dr. P. C. Layne

ASHLAND, KY., Jan. 15.—This entire community was shocked and grieved Sunday when the news was flashed over the city that Dr. P. C. Layne, one of Ashland's best beloved physicians and surgeons, had suddenly been claimed by death. While it was known that he had been in failing health for the past six months, yet no one felt that the end was near, not even the members of his own family, and hence the shock was all the greater. Saturday evening he was in unusually good spirits and chatted with his family and several of the doctors who called during the evening. About two o'clock death came.

Dr. Layne was one of the most brilliant medical men which Kentucky has ever produced. Not only was he well versed in the practice of medicine, but as a surgeon he had few equals and no superiors. He was loved and greatly respected by every doctor, not only in Ashland, but in the entire tri-state section, where his ability was well known.

PRISONER IN
BAD SHAPE

IRONTON, Ohio, January 15.—That John Keizer, who is being held in the Lawrence county jail on a liquor charge, will die if his confinement is long continued, was the verdict of Dr. C. G. Gallagher, after his examination of the patient. The physician stated that Keizer was suffering from inflammation of the bladder, anemia and a complication of diseases. His condition at this time is quite serious but it is becoming aggravated by conditions as the jail is crowded almost to capacity with offenders. Whether Keizer will be released remains to be seen but it is believed that he will be.

John Keizer has been arrested several times on charges of making liquor and on one occasion was given a third offense hearing that would have sent him to the Ohio penitentiary had he been convicted, but he was found not guilty.

Missed Sled; Hit Auto

CHILLICOTHE, O., Jan. 15.—Faced with the choice of running over a sled, pulled behind an automobile, on which three youngsters were riding, or running headlong into another machine, Dr. E. T. Daniel of Wellston took the latter course, and while the lads escaped injury, both of the automobiles were badly damaged and one of the occupants was painfully cut about the face. The injured girl was Bertha Renfro, of Hopeton, who was riding in a car driven by Harry Quick, also of Hopeton.

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Found Call Of The
Road Was Too Strong

CHARLES T. EASTERDAY, well known traveling salesman, representing Park Davis & Co., Detroit, is in the city back on the old territory, on which he has been a regular visitor for the past twenty-two years. Mr. Easterday thought of entering business at Ironton, but the call of the road was too strong in its appealing voice and he called it off. Drumming is like the hoo-poope and steamboat business, or even printing, when one gets in it there is no chance to get away.—Wellston Sentinel.

Pie Social Jan. 19

A "pie" social will be held at the Upper Dry Run school January 19th. The proceeds of this supper will be used to purchase a library for the school. Your presence will be appreciated.

V. C. McCALL Teacher.

Aint This Cute?

This is how countless people get the whiter teeth you admire. They combat the film that makes teeth cloudy. Millions do it daily. And so will you when you make this test and see what it means to your teeth.

It hides the luster

Film is that viscous coat you feel. No ordinary tooth paste can effectively combat it, so much of it remains. Soon it becomes discolored. Then comes dings, chips.

Film also ruins teeth. It holds food substance which ferments and forms acid, which in contact with the teeth to cause decay. Germs breed by millions in it. They, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

Watch it act

Send the coupon for a 10-Day Tube. Note how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence of the viscous film. See how teeth become whiter as the film-coats disappear.

You will always be glad that you made this test. Cut out coupon now.

Protect the Enamel

Pepsodent disintegrates the film, then removes it with an agent far softer than enamel. Never use a film combatant which contains harsh grit.

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Statehood For Southeastern Part
Of Alaska To Be Asked Of Congress

JUNEAU, Alaska, Jan. 15.—A. P. Statehood for the southeastern part of Alaska, the Panhandle, is expected soon to be asked of congress. Meanwhile residents of that district, expressing themselves in a convention here last month, have asked congress to form the territory of Alaska.

This part of Alaska embraces, with the census of 1920, 100,000 Indians in 11,000 square miles of the northeastern corner of the North American continent, that President Lincoln's secretary of state, William H. Taft, bought from Russia for \$7,000,000.

The proposed territory or state, for whose formation the convention prepared two memorials to congress and framed a suggested organic act, would include all the first judicial division of Alaska in its present status and about one-third of the third judicial division. The first division is the Panhandle, a strip running about twenty miles wide between British Columbia and the Pacific ocean. The third division is southwestern Alaska, including all the southern coastline from the northern end of the Panhandle far out to the end of the Aleutian Islands.

The promoters of separate statehood for South Alaska were inspired, according to numerous forum publications, by the desire to be set off from the second judicial division, vast western and northern Alaska, with Nome as its best known point, and the fourth division, interior Alaska, with Fairbanks, often called "the Chicago of the north," as its metropolitan center.

The two memorials to congress started the request of the Panhandle to be formed into the territory of South Alaska and that "inasmuch as the people residing there desire that the drainage area of Prince William Sound and Copper River and the territory east thereof or any part of it if it be the desire of the people thereof and of congress."

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1,000 PERSONS TO FIGHT VICE IN HUNTINGTON

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Jan. 15.—More than 1,000 residents of Huntington have banded themselves together in an effort to stamp out vice in Huntington catalogued by Evangelist C. A. Fox, addressed a mass meeting at Twentieth street Baptist church yesterday afternoon. Dr. Fox is conducting a series of revival services at the church.

Vices named Dr. Fox were gambling, dancing, drinking and swearing.

"I know nothing about your city government or your city officials," Dr. Fox declared. "But I do know that it is the duty of every citizen of the city to assist in stamping out vice, and officers of the law and city officials are paid to be the active organs of the law, a law which was made by the people," Dr. Fox declared.

"Gambling is gambling whether it is playing cards for a prize or shooting craps in the back alleys." God will no sooner condone the woman who plays cards for a prize, over a mahogany table, than the negroes who carry razors and shoot craps for soiled lures.

"I consider betting on horse races, which I understand is condoned by

your state laws, playing cards for trivial prizes, playing pool or poker gambling in the worst sense.

"I have three indictments to make against the modern dance," Dr. Fox declared.

Indictments Against Dancing

"The dance of today is immoral, indecent and immodest. Any young woman who is found at a dance is degraded.

Wilson Installs

A New System

Service Director Charles W. Wilson stated Tuesday that he had installed the requisition order system in his office and merchants were warned not to sell supplies to city employees unless they present a signed requisition card from his department.

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216 MARKET STREET

SCHAEFER

Potatoes \$2.40 Per

2 bu. Bag \$1.20 per bu.

Pinto Beans, 10 lbs. for 75c
\$7.25 per 100 lbs.
Direct from Colorado to us.
Navy Beans, 10 lbs. for 65c
\$6.00 per 100 lbs.
Red Kidney Beans, 10 lbs. for 95c
Lima Beans, 10 lbs. for \$1.10
White Kidney Beans, 2 lbs. for 25c
New Rice, 3 lbs. for 25c
New Oats, 6 lbs. for 25c

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Pure Maple Syrup pint cans 43c; quart cans 75c

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Ladies' Wool Dresses
25 to 33 1/3 per cent Off

VOELKER'S

January Clearance Sale

You must see the quality of the merchandise before you can appreciate the real values we are offering during our January Clearance Sale.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats \$2.98

Choice of any hat in the store for \$2.98. Values up to \$10.

Ladies' \$4.00 Voile Waists \$2.48

This lot is made up of several different styles. Every one a real bargain.

Ladies' \$1.00 Silk Hose, Per Pair 89c

Any ladies' \$1.00 Hose now go at 89c. Silk, Wool and Silk and Wool in all shades.

Ladies' \$2.00 Silk Sport Hose, Per pair \$1.48

Comes in cordovan shade only. A nice heavy sport rib Hose.

Ladies' Sport Rib Hose, Per pair 45c

A nice quality mercerized lisle in all the wanted shades.

Ladies' \$1.00 Felt Slippers 89c

Made in two tone effects of good quality felt with soft leather sole.

72x84 Single Blankets \$1.69

An extra large size plaid blanket in a good weight too.

9x4 Sheet, per yard 49c

In either bleached or unbleached, a nice heavy quality.

81x90 Bleached Sheet \$1.19

Made of nice heavy grade muslin. Has one seam.

36 Inch Bleached Muslin, Per Yard 13c

This is a very nice quality of muslin. Regular price 17c.

\$1.50 Wool Serge, 52 Inch, Per Yard \$1.00

Comes in navy and brown only. A very nice grade of Serge, suitable for most all purposes.

\$1.50 Ruffle Curtains, Per Pair \$1.00

These curtains are made of nice quality Marquisette, tie back to match.

\$1.75 Bar Marquisette Curtains, Per Pair \$1.48

Has ruffle edge in nice grade barred Marquisette. A real bargain.

\$2.25 Dot Marquisette Curtains, Per Pair \$1.85

A nice fine grade of Marquisette with neat dots. Ruffle edges.

35c Marquisette, Per Yard 25c

Comes in plain white with fancy border or plaid effects, also in fancy darks.

Ladies' \$1.00 Muslin Gowns 59c

A real bargain in a ladies' muslin gown. Made of nice soft muslin.

Ladies' \$1.00 Bungalow Aprons 89c

They are made of a nice grade of fast color percale, neatly trimmed.

27x54 Inch Rag Rug \$1.00

Regular \$1.25 value. Made of good clean rags and strong carpet chain.

\$6.00 Wool Finish Blanket \$4.98

A good heavy blanket in large size, comes in plaid patterns.

\$1.25 Leather Boston Bag 89c

Made of solid leather in tan or grey. A real bargain.

Supt. Eccles Offered Principalship Of Ashland High School; Plans to Accept It

Principalship of the Ashland Ky. High School, carrying with it can secure my release from the local board," Supt. Eccles told The Times Tuesday.

"I am under contract with the school board for this year. I will tender my resignation at the next meeting and if it is accepted I will make arrangements to go to

"It is true the position has been offered me at a greatly increased salary and I will accept it if I Ashland as soon as possible. I consider it a promotion and feel that

Sam Greenburg Employs Clever Ruse To Outwit Two Highwaymen; Saves His Roll

Sam Greenburg, formerly engaged in business here is in the city, having disposed of his furniture business in Cincinnati.

While here today he informed friends that several weeks ago a

clever ruse he quickly employed prevented two stick up men from getting his healthy roll.

Under the pretense of buying used furniture Mr. Greenburg was lured to a vacant building in

Cincinnati, which he thought contained the furniture. So sooner had Mr. Greenburg entered this building than he figured that he was doing business with a couple of highwaymen.

"All I had in the pocket was my hand," Mr. Greenburg said today as he regaled inquiring friends about his thrilling experience.

The Old Reliable



"I have been using Werk's Laundry Soap for the past four years and would not be without it. It is all and more than the company claims it to be."—Mrs. F. A. Ruhlin, Portsmouth, Ohio

Made by
The M. WERK CO., Cincinnati
Established 1832
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Werk's Washing Machine Soap
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Musical Comedy

They're Mysteries In "Don't Park Here"



MYSTERY CHORUS

Thursday and Friday, Jan. 17-18

A big, breezy, two-hour show that has no rival in girls, fun and frolic.

Reserve your seats now. Price \$1.00 including war tax.

Reservation for Friday performance Wednesday from 3 to 6 and 7 to 8 p. m.

Special matinee for children under 14 years

Thursday afternoon 4 p. m.

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Price 20c

Bogus Solicitor At Work Here

Police here have been instructed to keep their weather eye peeled for a bogus magazine collector, who it is said has been reaping a harvest in this section.

Has The Mumps

Mrs. Helen Chapman, of 1726 Jackson street is ill with mumps. Several weeks ago she was successfully operated upon for appendicitis.

YOUNGSTOWN—James Shannon, who with Joseph Gibbons sawed his way out of jail here Saturday night, was brought back from Punxsutawney, Pa.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Rubanna Brown Pendleton, death at 3:30 o'clock on Monday afternoon claimed Mrs. Rubanna B. Pendleton, aged 70, who passed away at her home on the Duck Run pike, following an extended illness due to infarctus. Mrs. Pendleton's husband died about 10 years ago and since that time she had been making her home

with an adopted daughter, Mrs. Lida Noel. She was a Christian woman and was an active worker in the Duck Run Baptist church. She had lived in that community for over forty years and had a wide circle of friends who will be grieved to learn of her death.

In addition to her adopted daughter, she leaves one brother, Wiley Brown of Concord, Ky.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Duck Run church with Rev. A. K. Murphy, of this city, officiating.

Baby Sissel

Death late Sunday night claimed Earl, five-day old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sissel, of Friendship. Funeral services were held from the home at 2 o'clock this afternoon, followed by interment at Friendship.

Anita Marie Gehin

Joy was suddenly turned into sorrow at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, when death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gleim of Wheelersburg and claimed their day old infant daughter, Anita Marie.

Besides the grief-stricken parents she leaves one brother, Doyle Howard, in Wheelersburg cemetery.

Mrs. Albert Kinn

JACKSON, O., January 15.—The funeral of Mrs. Albert Kinn was held from her late home, 225 East Fifth street, Lancaster, O., Monday afternoon, with the Rev. Butler officiating. Mrs. Kinn was formerly Miss Anna Martin, and is well known here, where she has often visited her sister, Mrs. J. V. Queen. Death was caused by tuberculosis. She is survived by her husband, Albert C. Kinn, one daughter, Martha Louise, of Lancaster, her mother, Mrs. Martha Martin, also of Lancaster, one sister, Mrs. J. V. Queen, of Oak Hill, and one brother, Lee Martin, of Columbus.

FINAL CLEARANCE

of Winter Underwear, Hosiery, Blankets, Comforts, Outing Flannel Gowns

EVERY item is reduced to cost or very near cost, and much lower than the prevailing wholesale prices. A warm season has left us with a large stock on hand — it must be turned into cash.

Womens' UNDERWEAR Boys' Girls'

Child's Union Suits, bleached, sizes 6 to 10, 75c value for

45c

Women's Union Suits, bleached, high neck, long sleeves, \$1.25 value. Clearance Price

89c

Women's \$1.50 Union Suits in flesh or white with silk thread, all styles, all sizes from 36 to 44. Clearance price

95c

Women's extra heavy Union Suits in large sizes only. Sold at \$2.50. Clearance Price

\$1.39

All Silky and Wool Underwear for women and children at actual cost to clean up.

CARTER'S UNION SUITS

None better made, at actual cost.

Boys' Union Suits, all sizes, must be closed out. They go at actual cost.

One small lot of Australian Wool Vests and Pants for children. Sold up to \$1.50 each. To clean up at

48c

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Blankets—Comforts

Every Blanket and Comfort of which we have a large stock is selling at cost and some below. A good time to supply your future wants.

at Cost.

Why Pay More?

Real Values Winter Hosiery

A big clearance of Heather, Wool and Silk and Wool Hosiery. The biggest and best bargains you ever saw; cost and value have been lost sight of.

75¢ Heather Hose, reduced to

59c

All \$1.00 Hose in Wool or Heather reduced to

73c

All Silk and Wool Hose that sold from \$1.50 to \$2. Reduced to

\$1.19

Special close out of Wool Hose at

\$1

Odds and ends, a few of a kind, none of them were less than \$1.50, some as high as \$2, which includes Imported English Hose, full fashioned. All on one table for

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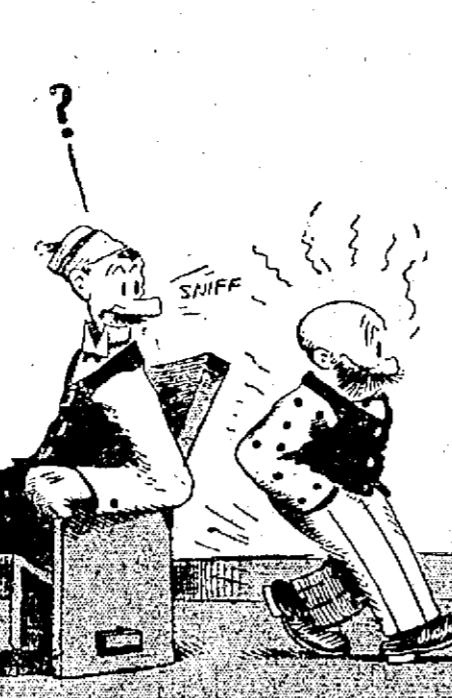
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Phone 117

MUTT AND JEFF



BY BUD FISHER

Sportsman To Meet In The Capital City

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 15.—Fish and game conservation, reforestation, and game legislation of national importance now pending in congress will be topics of discussion at the annual state conference of sportsmen here Jan. 30, under auspices of the Ohio League of Sportsmen. According to A. G. Baxter, executive secretary of the League, the meet will be second only in importance to the National Game Conference held in New York Dec. 11. More than 100 branches of the Ohio association will send delegates.

Stream pollution also will be a major subject for consideration at the gathering. It will be taken up from a public health stand-point, as well as from the viewpoint of the fisherman. Mr. Baxter said.

Speakers at the annual banquet will include Director of Agriculture Charles V. Tracy, United States Senator Simon D. Pless; George A. Lawyer, Washington, chief United States game warden; L. J. Taber, master of the national grange, and Col. Tom Wallace, editor of the Louisville Times.

Cruiser To Protect British Interests

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Jan. 15.—The A. P.—A British cruiser has arrived at Puerto, Mexico, the southern Vaca Cruz, to protect British interests, according to E. S. Reynolds, one of 12 Americans who arrived here today from Puerto, Mexico, aboard the steamer Yarri, Puerto, Mexico, is held by the revolutionaries.

Reynolds said that the cruiser arrived shortly before the departure of the Yamari and that a British merchantman also put into port with a cargo of "agricultural implements" which generally were believed to be war materials.

The Americans came as refugees from the de la Huerta stronghold.

"We feared the rebels in and around Puerto, Mexico, might turn bandit and attack us," said Reynolds, spokesman for the party. "So we decided to clear out. The Yamari has accommodations for only five passengers, but we managed to make accommodations for 12 by stowing ourselves down in the stoke-hold, engine room and other parts of the ship."

332 TAKE BAR EXAM AND ONLY 248 PASS

COLUMBUS, Jan. 15.—The A. P.—Ohio will have 248 more attorneys within its boundaries as a result of the December bar examination, the outcome of which was announced by the supreme court today.

While 332 applicants took the examination, only 248 made grades high enough to permit them to become practicing attorneys. They will be officially sworn in before the supreme court, January 25.

Bones United

William Martin 1406 High street who sustained a fracture of the left elbow at Wheelersburg a week ago when a motorcycle side car in which he was riding collided with an automobile, underwent an operation at Hempstead hospital Monday morning with Drs. Carl and Walter Braunlin and K. D. Rechelderfer of Wheelersburg attending. The fractured bones were united with silver wire.

Plaide Not Guilty

John Shaffer, Brouse's Run, West Side, farmer, pleaded not guilty to two charges of violating the dry laws when brought into Municipal court Monday and he was held under \$500 bond pending trial Tuesday morning. Shaffer was arrested Saturday night and is charged with possession of liquor and possession of material designed for the manufacture of liquor. He will be defended by Attorney T. C. Bentz.

Hope to Meet Shaefer

NEW YORK, Jan. 15—Willie Hopkins will defend his title of world's champion 182-lb. bantamweight player against Jake Schaefer, the only man ever to wrest the crown from him, in Chicago, January 21, 22 and 23 under the provisions of the annual championship tournament which provides that the players finishing second, third and fourth may challenge the winner.

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No. 12 Daily 11:30 A. M.

No. 12 Daily 12:15 P. M.

NORTH BOUND

No. 3 Daily 3:10 A. M.

No. 29 Daily 8:45 A. M.

No. 29 Daily 9:30 P. M.

No. 29 Daily Does Not Run

West of Portsmouth 8:45 P. M.

WEST BOUND

No. 8 Daily 5:00 A. M.

No. 8 Daily ex. Sunday 7:05 A. M.

No. 27 Daily 11:30 A. M.

DRIVE FROM CINCINNATI

No. 1 Daily 10:30 A. M.

No. 16 Daily 11:30 A. M.

No. 16 Daily except Sunday 11:30 P. M.

City Ticket Office, 814 Fourth St.

Phone 2530 C. C. Connell, Passenger Agent

E. V. Ferde, City Ticket Agent

Schedule Effective Oct. 28, 1921

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No. 3 United Daily 3:45 P. M.

No. 16 United Daily 3:45 P. M.

No. 4 United Daily 12:15 P. M.

WEST BOUND

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No. 3 United Daily 3:45 P. M.

No. 16 United Daily 11:30 P. M.

No. 4 United Daily 12:15 P. M.

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SEAT SALE FOR ALL STAR BOXING SHOW OPENS THURSDAY

Bill Harris is all smiles now, after dithering for the past two weeks to get enough to indicate that Mr. Perdue will have his hands full.

After remembering the Alexander Duncan-Smith bout, which was on the last card at the River City show, the fans need little information on the semi-final other than both boys are rearing to get at each other again.

The two six-round bouts will bring together Jimmy Blankenship, of Huntington, against Eddie Grant, of Dayton, and Rudy Kipp of Muncie, against Eddie Moore, of Huntington. All of these boys are on the slam-bang order, and the fans are bound to see plenty of action.

Because of Perdue's great popularity Blankenship Harris is paying him more than ever paid to visiting boxer to show his wares in Portsmouth. Harris says Jimmy will earn his money before he gets through with Bright. Bright is a fine type of athlete, and, like Jimmy, is a high school boy. Bright is fullback of the famous Stevens high school football team and his real name is Melvin Thomas. He has won over Young Webb, Gil Elchoff, Cal Stevens and Harvey Thorpe, which is

R. O. Lowery and Chuck Bard will open the show. The seats will go on sale Thursday evening at the Sincere House.

Young Stribling Is DisQualified

WEST PALM BEACH, FLA., January 15.—W. L. Young, Stribling, Macon, Ga., school boy fighter, had his second thrilling contest within a week here last night. In it he was

qualified for hitting on the break. Bill Pritchard, the referee, giving the bout to Norm Geent of Akron, O., in the sixth round. Thereupon "Pa" Stribling took one punch at Pritchard, but they were separated before any more serious damage was done.

In a bout at Miami a few days ago Stribling, Jr., knocked out Mike Neaton of New York, a former wrestler, after Neaton had used catch-as-catch-can tactics to put the school boy on the floor. The referee had struck Neaton for swinging at him and the crowd, admiring with Neaton's tactics, had thrown pop bottles.

In both contests, Young Stribling had much the better of the fight rights until the final blow. Last night he put Gend out in the third, fourth and fifth rounds.

Stribling will meet Billy Shade, California light heavyweight in Atlanta, Ga., January 28.

Volley Ball

CALL A LEAGUE

Gulls	0	6	2	667
Banks	12	7	5	553
Tigers	0	5	4	450
Specials	9	4	3	444
Gallinules	15	6	9	400
Faculty	6	2	4	333

CLASS B LEAGUE

Sun-Times	15	11	4	733
Invincibles	12	8	4	667
Busy Men	12	7	5	553
Doctors	9	4	5	444
Ministers	12	5	7	417
Steeplechase	9	3	6	333
Realtors	9	1	8	111

Yesterdays:

Bunkers 10 21 21

Gallinules 21 13 17

Busy Men 21 21 15

Sun-Times 8 9 21

The Groups:

Bunkers—Henderson, Ehrhart, Cassidy, Hopkins, Uhl and Basmann.

Gallinules—Hollbrook, Wels, Doll, Herms, Debo and E. W. Winkenreiter.

Busy Men—Howland, Ketter, Ross, Glickner, Dickey and Weidner.

Doctors—Jackie, Stribling, Zornes, Martin, Sargent and Roberts.

MASONIC BOWLING LEAGUE

Selby BOWLING League

Games Next Week

Jan. 21—Independents vs. Outcasts.
Jan. 22—Selots vs. Turners.
Jan. 23—Rookies vs. Black Cats.
Jan. 24—Trimmers vs. Unknowns.
Jan. 25—Baldies Hawks vs. Goldins.
Jan. 26—Pin Knockers vs. Boosters.
Jan. 27—Omars vs. Lasters.

Last Night's Results

Outcasts—
J. Hauck 105 130 148 302
R. Waller 125 142 130 307
Prosch 104 161 191 506
Collis 134 167 173 474
F. Fought 173 160 191 524

Total 701 769 823 2293

Baldies Hawks

Bauer 233 141 167 541
Keller 152 135 140 433
Bliley 177 132 170 479
Scott 93 138 129 360
Frick 159 171 171 501
Hall 208 137 147 412

Total 773 727 795 2298

Rookies—

Johnson 135 133 155 458
Blind 125 125 125 373
Hazelback 125 125 125 373
Reinhardt 173 121 145 432

Total 695 686 805 2188

Inspectors—

Edwards 156 151 151 451
Korn 163 161 150 551
Ort 192 171 167 432
Ort 168 156 146 500
Sheridan 117 207 170 431

Total 716 851 751 2121

Booster—

Drennan 140 140 176 465
Dunn 136 142 176 454
Webb 129 144 162 435

THE STOCK MARKET STRENGTHENS AFTER AN EARLY SETBACK

BOND MARKET SHOWS WEAKNESS

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—With the exception of the St. Paul issues which added about one point to their recent gain, prices of active bonds generally worked lower in today's early dealing.

French and Belgian bonds developed

further weakness, losses of a point or more being recorded by Belgian 7½%'s, 7½%'s, Marschall's 6% and Lyon's 6%'s. Holland-American Lines' 6%'s dropped 1½, Reading railroad issues failed to respond to the higher stock prices, the general 4%'s and the 6%'s cer-

tificates each selling a point below yesterday's final quotations. With the exception of a drop of 1½% in Northern States, Power Co.'s, public utilities and industrial bonds moved within narrow and irregular limits.

U. S. BONDS.

Sales, High, Low: 1 p. m. Cuban-American Sugar 8% 1107½@107½@107½ 5½, 88½@83½@83½

Liberty first 4½% 101-90@100-90@100-90

Do second 4½% 772-90@78-92@78-90

Do third 4½% 222-90@20-20@20-20

Do fourth 4½% 824-93@83-91@80-90

U. S. Government 4½% 55-100@55-99@51@51

FOREIGN BONDS.

Anton Jurgens Marg. Works 6% 63-78½@77½@78

Argentine 7½% 3-101½@101½@101½

Austrian Govt. gilt, loan 7% 10-85½@85½@85½

Chinese Govt. Rys. 6% 11-41½@41½@41½

City of Bremen 6% 14-72½@71½@71½

City of Copenhagen 5½% 9-91½@91@91½

City of Greater Prague 7½% 22-79½@79½@79½

City of Rio de Janeiro 8%, 1947 5-89@88½@88½

Czechoslovak Republic 8% 6-95@94@95

Danish Municipal 8%, A 5-107½@107½@107½

Department of Steine 7% 50-80½@79@79½

Dom. of Canada 5%, 1942 14-90½@91@91½

Dutch East Indies 5½%, 1933 33-90½@90@90

French Republic 8% 1350-93½@92½@92½

Do 7½% 123-90@89½@89½

Japanese 1st 4½% 550-93½@93½@93½

Kingdom of Belgium 8% 41-98½@98@98½

Kingdom of Denmark 6% 28-97½@97@97½

Kingdom of Netherlands 6% 14-94@93½@93½

Kingdom of Norway 6% 1942-94@94@94

King, Serbia, Croatia, Slov. 8% 60-68½@68@68

Kingdom of Sweden 6% 18-104½@104½@104½

Oriental Dev. deb. 6% 21-80½@80@80

Paris-Jeunes Industries 6% 70-66@65@65

Rep. of Bolivia 8% 5-88½@88@88½

Repub. of Chile 8%, 1941 7-105½@102½@102½

Do 7½% 43-95½@95½@95½

Rep. of Cuba 5½% 14-91½@91@91½

Rep. of Haiti 6%, 1952 15-91½@91@91

Swiss Confed. 8% 1114-114@114

U. K. of G. B. and I. 5½%, 1937 67-99½@99½@99½

U. S. of Brazil 8% 7-94½@94@94

DOMESTIC.

Amer. Agr. Chem. 7½% 4-160½@100½@100½

Amer. Smelting 6% 15-102½@102½@102½

Do 5% 13-93@92½@92½

Amer. Sugar 6% 6-102½@102½@102½

Amer. Tel. and Tel. 6½%, recs. 78-99½@99½@99½

Do col. v. 6% 50-98½@98½@98½

Ansonia Corp. 7%, 1933 35-97½@97½@97½

Do 6½% 20-92½@92½@92½

Armour and Co. of Del. 5½% 13-92@92@92

Associated Oil 6% 43-87½@87½@87½

At. T. and San. Fran. gen. 4% 13-88½@88½@88½

Baltimore and Ohio 6% 33-101½@101½@101½

Bell Tel. of Penna. 1st and 1g. 5% 125-87@87@87

Brier Hill Steel 5½% 14-95½@95@95½

Bklyn-Manhattan Trans. s. f. 6% 125-75½@75½@75½

Canadian Pacific deb. 4% 55-88½@88½@88½

Central of Georgia 6% 3-101½@101@101

Central Leather 6% 12-95½@95½@95½

Chesapeake and Ohio 6% 2-87½@87½@87½

Do cr. 4½% 78-89½@89½@89½

Chic. and Alton 3½% 14-95½@95@95½

Coca. and East. Ill. 5% 12-91½@91@91½

C. G. Western 4% 5-51½@51½@51½

Ohio, Mil. and St. Paul 6% 127-68½@68½@68½

Do cr. 4½% 621-78½@78½@78½

Chicago and Northwestern 7% 110½@105½@105½

Chicago Railways 6% 3-70½@70½@70½

Chic. R. I. and P. gen. 4% 1-70½@70½@70½

Do ref. 4% 58-77½@77½@77½

Chile Copper 6% 2-101½@101½@101½

Chic. and San. Fran. gen. 4% 7-101½@101½@101½

Colorado and Southern 6% 26-82½@82½@82½

Columbus Gas and Elec. 6%, wdp. 7-97½@97½@97½

Commonwealth Pow. 6% 12-80½@80½@80½

Consumers' Power 6% 14-80½@80½@80½

Cuba Cane Sugar deb. 8%, stdp. 7-89½@89½@89½

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1-Deaths

2-Cards of Thanks

3-In Memoriam

4-Births

5-Mourning Goods

6-Memorial Directors

7-Monuments and Cemetery Lots

8-Personals

9-Political and Social Events

10-Religious and Social Lodges

11-Strayed, Lost, Found

12-AUTOMOTIVE

A-Automobile Agencies

13-Auto Accidents

14-Auto Trucks for Sale

15-Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts

16-Motorcycles

17-Wanted-Automobiles

B-BUSINESS SERVICE

18-Businessmen, General

19-Builders and Contractors

20-Cleaning, Dyers, Renovating

21-Dressmaking and Millinery

22-Heating, Plumbing, Roofing

23-Insurance and Surety Bonds

24-Inventory

25-Moving, Trucking, Storage

26-Painting, Papering, Decorating

27-Professional Services

28-Repairing and Refurbishing

29-Repairing and Refurbishing

30-Wanted-Auto Parts

31-Wanted-Auto Service

32-EMPLOYMENT

Business Services Offered

33-CARPENTER WORK-Wanted, Phone

1972-W from 3 to 10 p.m.

34-GLASSES-Wanted to know that

a written guarantee is given with

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Optical Parlor, 1230 Ninth street.

35-SEWING MACHINE ATTACHMENTS

36-RESTITUTION

37-Local Instruction Classes

38-Musical, Dancing, Dramatic

39-Private Instruction

40-Wanted-Private

41-LIVE STOCK

42-Pets, Cats, Other Pets

43-Poetry, Stories, Stories

44-Wanted-Live Stock

45-ARTICLES FOR SALE

46-Books and Magazines

47-Local and National Exchange

48-Building Materials

49-Business and Office Equipment

50-Farm and Garden Products

51-Food, Fertilizers

52-Good Things to Eat

53-Household Goods

54-Household Wares

55-Miscellaneous

56-Music

57-Old Umbrellas

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91-Legal Notices

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1-Personals

2-LAMBIN, I. will not be responsible

for any debts contracted by his

wife, Eddie Lambin. Signed, KEN-

NETH LAMBIN.

3-Societies and Lodges

4-MASON'S--Regular meeting of Western

Sun Lodge, No. 34, F. & A. M.

Wheelerburg, Ohio, Jan. 23 at 7:30

p.m. All members requested to be

present. Business of importance.

5-MASON'S--Special meeting of Aurora

Lodge, Thursday, January 18th, at

7 p.m. Work in F. & A. M.

6-MASON'S--Special meeting of Mt. Ver-

non Lodge, No. 100, Mt. Ver-

non, Friday, January 19th, at 7 p.m.

7-MASON'S--Auction Sale

8-LAWYER'S--Legal Notices

9-LEGAL NOTICES

AUTOMOTIVE

1-AUTOMOTIVES For Sale

2-AUTOMOTIVES Used, Ford, Sedan,

Electric, starter, demountable, radio,

spare tire, shock absorbers, etc.

3-UNIVERSAL MOTOR CO., 1142-20 Gallia

St. Phone 1222.

4-AUTOMOTIVES, USED--

5-Ford Touring, electric starter, \$125.

6-Ford Roadster, electric starter, \$100.

7-UNIVERSAL MOTOR CO., 1142-20 Gallia

St. Phone 1222.

8-FORD TOURING, electric

9-FORD ROADSTER, electric

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HARRISBURG, PA., January 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Four superintendents' divisions will be eliminated in the Pennsylvania Railroad system, effective Wednesday, a bulletin issued at the company's offices here last night announced. One of the divisions to be consolidated with the present divisions in the central region, two are in the southern region, and one in the northwestern region.

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NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

SCIOTOVILLE and WHEELERSBURG SCIOTOVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Addis of Columbus, announce the birth of a son, born Saturday. The little lad has been named Thomas, Jr. Mr. Addis, who formerly resided in Minford, is well known here.

Among the principal changes brought about in connection with the readjustment of divisions follow:

D. Y. Geddes, superintendent of the Philadelphia division, eastern region, is transferred to the Toledo division, northwestern region.

The position of general superintendent of the Central Ohio grand division, southwestern region, is discontinued.

R. K. Chester, now heading that post, is transferred to general superintendent of the north grand division, central region with headquarters at Buffalo.

The position of general superintendent of the Illinois grand division, northeastern region, will be discontinued.

Mr. William Kent is ill at her home on Wilson avenue.

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learn that she is improving. Mrs. Fred Wade is in Portage. Mrs. Catherine Hunsinger has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. Anna Smith of Third street, and daughter, Mrs. Earl Reynolds of Harrison street, shopped in Portsmouth today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Horn, of Portsmouth, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arby Ward of Harrison street.

Mr. John Henning and Miss Bessie Yelley of Wall's Station attended the meeting of the Kinsfolk Club at the home of Mrs. Philip Pfarr on Lincoln street, Portsmouth.

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DISCONTENT SPELLS PROGRESS

Summer folks want to go north, to the mountains or the seashore. In winter they are drawn to the tropics. People living in the East talk about going West and natives of the West believe the rainbow's end is in the East.

People without automobiles "would be" satisfied with a small car. Their more fortunate neighbors driving small automobiles hope for a larger car "next year." Every raise in salary suggests another.

This insatiable desire and discontent, which is characteristic of civilized peoples, is man's only inspiration for unceasing accomplishment. Without it there would be no progress, no scientific research, no inventions, no industrial or commercial achievement, no religious or educational upliftment, neither human ambitions nor ambition. In the tropics, where a generous nature guarantees existence without self-help, there is an intimation of what would result from the end of human desire and discontent.

Americans are frequently criticized by their European and Asiatic brothers for dollar-chasing and with placing work before every other institution of life. In the same breath our foreign visitors inquire into the reasons for our world domination in industry, commerce and science. It should now be evident to the foreigner that accomplishment and progress are the sum total of life to the ambitious American and in this lies the secret of American growth and national superiority.

Contentment is the unpardonable sin on this side of the Atlantic, unless it be indolent discontent.

WITH THIRTY LASHES

A Canadian judge recently sentenced a bank robber and escaped convict to imprisonment for life, "with 30 lashes" as an additional penalty, to be administered at the rate of 10 a month for three months.

The lash has become virtually obsolete in the United States as a method of punishment for convicted criminals, a fact which is responsible for irrelevant conclusions that its abandonment marks a milestone in our progress from the barbarities of the past. It is the testimony of criminologists that a man dreads the whip wielded by the arm of the law more than any other form of punishment, and yet it is humane by comparison with the acts of lawbreakers against innocent victims.

In the Canadian case the convict escaped from prison, robbed a bank, reached the American side, and with confederates engaged in a gun battle in the streets of Minneapolis with the police before he was recaptured. He had no compunctions for the life or limb of innocent persons who crossed his path in his criminal career. The addition of 30 lashes to his life sentence was less as a reminder of his crime than as a warning to others of what awaits them if they fall into the clutches of the law.

There is something admirable about the administration of justice over our Northern border.

EVIDENCE IS CONCLUDED

The evidence in the Elliott Stevens murder case was concluded this afternoon and arguments started shortly after two o'clock this afternoon with Prosecuting Attorney S. Anstey Shelton opening the argument for the State.

FINED ON TWO CHARGES

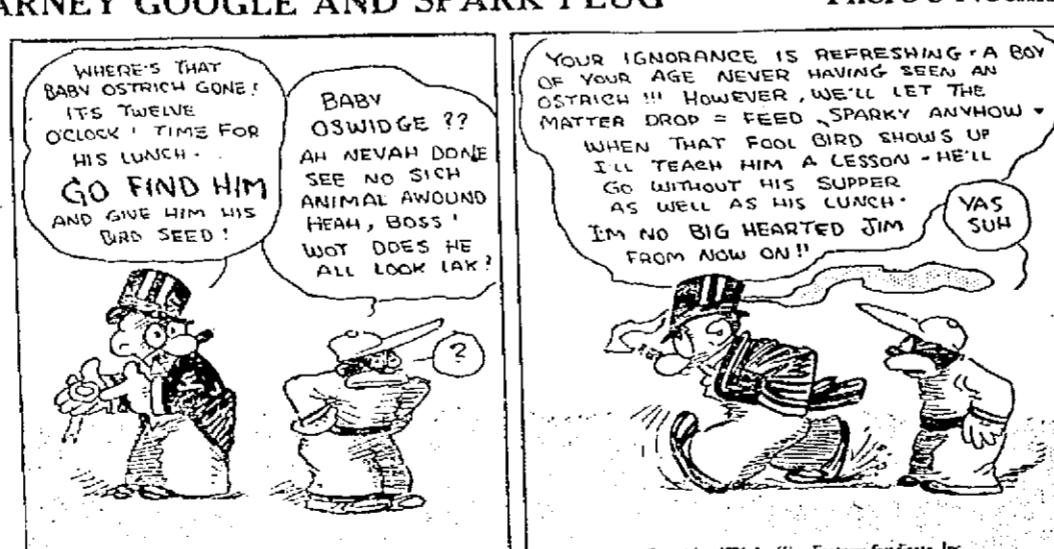
John Dyer formerly of Mabert Road, now of Rhodes avenue, New Boston, was fined \$500 and costs on a charge of possessing moonshine and \$25 and costs on a reckless driving charge in municipal court Tuesday morning. Judge Harry Ball appeared for the city and Attorney Higgins represented Dyer.

The charges against Dyer grew out of an automobile collision at Gallia and Mabert Road the afternoon of January 1st. William Luther was driver of the other machine which Dyer claimed ran into the rear of his car as he turned into Mabert Road from Gallia after driving around Luther.

Evidence was introduced to show that Dyer left the scene of the accident and walked around behind a nearby store building and put something down on the ground. Mrs. Laura Melvin, who lives across the street from the building and Mrs. Ruth Dohr, of Robinson Avenue, who was visiting at the Melvin home, claimed they saw Dyer hide something and after he left investigated and found a half pint bottle of moonshine. Mrs. Melvin had her son tell officers of the "moon" and the arrest



BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG



POLLY AND HER PALS



"DON'T PARK HERE"

It is not often that the people of Portsmouth have an opportunity to see a real musical comedy. Therefore, Thursday and Friday of this week will be red-letter days for all those who witness "Don't Park Here," a comedy of two acts which insures over two hours of intense enjoyment.

Tickets for both nights are selling well. All those who have tickets to sell are instructed to settle up Wednesday evening at Girl Scout Headquarters. After that, those who want tickets will purchase them at the Chamber of Commerce.

at the time of reservation (2 to 6 and 7 to 8 p. m.) or at the door at the evening of the play. This evening will be the last opportunity to reserve tickets for the Thursday show. Reservation for Friday's show will be made tomorrow at the hours mentioned above.

There will be no tickets for the children's matinee. Children under 14 years of age should bring their 20 cents and be on hand at the high school auditorium by 4 p. m. Thursday.

Mr. Harold Leaves Hospital

The many friends of Mr. Vallee Harold, who has been ill in Miami Hospital since the day after Christmas will be glad to know that he is able to be out, and visited the Times office for a short time this afternoon.

Office boys have a Horatio Alger way here of rising from the guardian of the outer gate to control of important affairs. He is given more responsibility and has a big attractive enterprise and have a comfortable fortune.

The Wall Street clerk appears to be a model of efficiency. He has time for the ordinary amusements of those his age. He is in a world of money grubbing and his whole aim is to get a stake and start in business for himself.

New York is a refuge, too, for those who occupied big positions elsewhere but were untrusted by some false step. They come here to hide-away, change their names and accept whatever is at hand.

Tommy Gray, the Broadway wit, has a new variant of the old theme that there is a broken heart for every light on Broadway. He says: "There's a broken arch for every heel on Broadway." A "heel" is the White Way term for what the English call a "shoulder."

The knicker is not for the golf course alone. It is an accepted article of attire for all phases of metropolitan life. They are seen in the subway, on the elevated, in the club and even at the afternoon tea.

Women are also wearing them very often for hikes through the city streets. Several shops are now open exclusively for the sale of knickers. One of the wonderfull tunes is "Never Knock a Man Who Has the Knick of Wearing Knickers."

Members of Bailey Post, G. A. R. are requested to meet at Trinity M. E. church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 to attend the last rites of their comrade, the late Henry Potter, who died at his home on Fourth street.

Nichols Fired

W. M. Nichols found guilty of taking an overcoat belonging to Harry Sanford at the Breeze plant, was fined \$10.00 by Mayor V. R. Bierley at New Boston. The overcoat was recovered.

WHO LOST DOG?

Fred Bruce of 1005 Third street is giving a home to a female fox terrier that came to his home several days ago and is anxiously awaiting for the owner to come and claim it.

Moved To Detarur

Walter Haas, who has been stock manager for the Dove Hat company has moved from Portsmouth to Decatur, Brown county. He has accepted a position as salesman for the same company and will cover Ohio river territory in Ohio and Kentucky.

Has New Job

Walter Glims of Bond street has taken job with the Radio Electric company of Gallia street.

Falls On Wheelbarrow

Albert Stone, employed at the Carlyle Lath plant, Star Yards, was bruised about the chest when he fell on a wheelbarrow. It was first thought that ribs had been fractured, but an x-ray disclosed no broken bones. Dr. A. B. Mills is attending Stone.

Wrist Broken

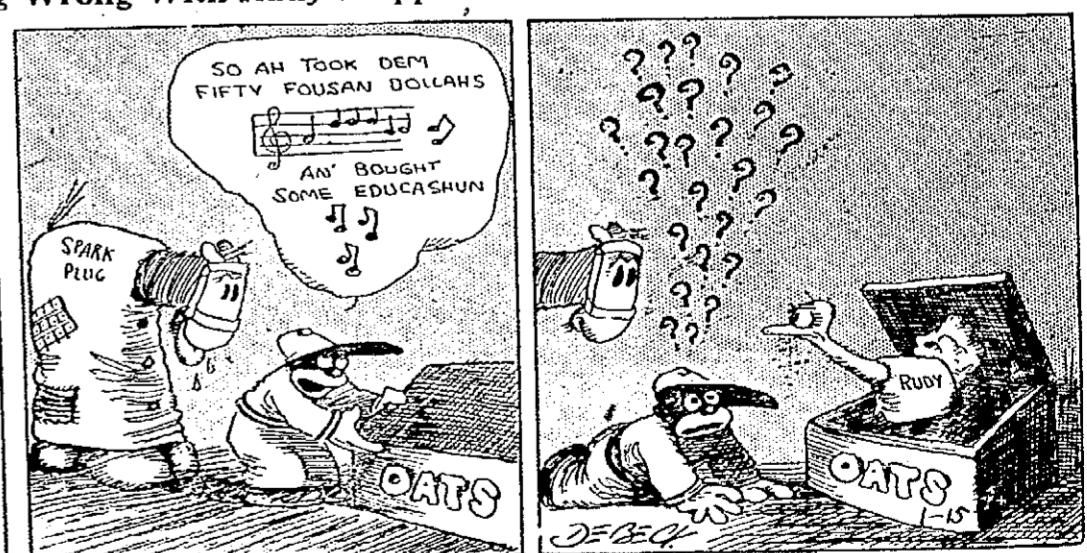
Clarence Blair, West Side, sustained a broken right wrist several days ago when he attempted to crank a Ford. Dr. D. N. Hopkins reduced the fracture. An x-ray was taken by Virgil Fowler.

Will Discuss

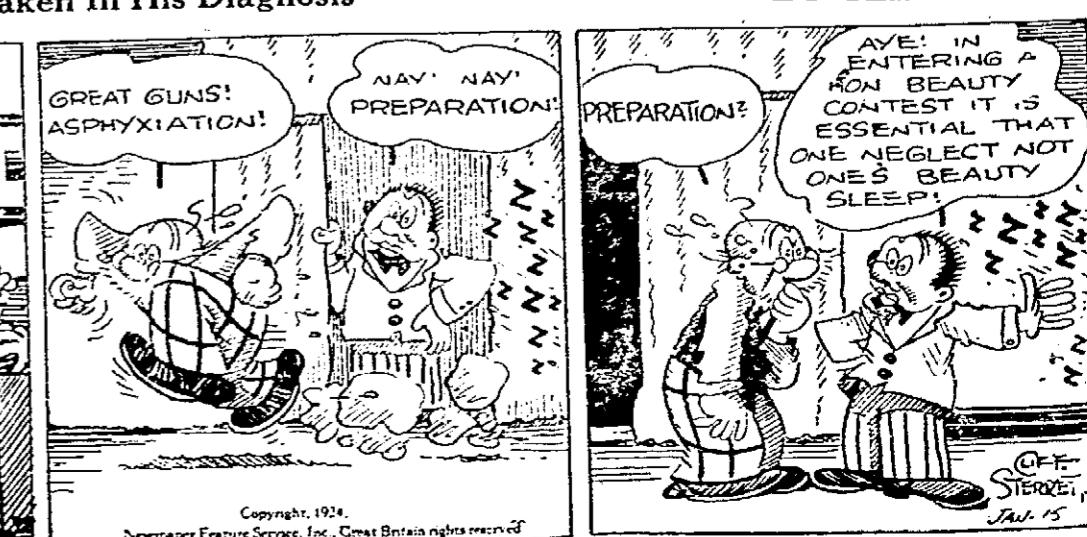
Bonus Question

The much mooted bonus question is to be given a whirl by those directly interested in it. members of the James H. Dickey American Legion chapter of Portsmouth. At the February meeting it will be discussed from all angles and this meeting will no doubt be largely attended. Arrangements for it are in charge of Russell Ketter.

There's Nothing Wrong With Rudy's Appetite



Polly's Badly Mistaken In His Diagnosis



TRUCK AND TAXI COLLIDE;

Walter White, 23, married, of back and shoulders.

White was driving east on Fifteenth street and the taxi was going north on Waller. The man met in the center of the intersection, the impact causing the truck to turn over. Caught in the driver's compartment of the truck, White had to be taken out of the machine. He was removed to the Hempstead Hospital in Lynn's ambulance and Dr. L. D. Allard was called.

The left side of the taxi was badly damaged, the running board being torn off and the body dented. The top of the truck was also unjacketed. McLaughlin was uninjured.

WELLS A. HUTCHINS IS THE NEW PRESIDENT OF THE CITIZENS B. AND L.

Wells A. Hutchins, one of the founders of the Citizens Savings and Loan Association company was elected president Monday night when the directors met for their annual election of officers. Mr. Hutchins at present is sojourning in Miami, Fla. where he and his wife arrived on December 24.

Other officers elected last night were Will H. Burt vice president, A. L. Hamm, secretary, Louis J. Vetter, assistant secretary and Judge George M. Osborn attorney.

FAIL TO ELECT NEW DIRECTOR

At a meeting of the Community Chorus held in the Carnegie Library last night all officers were re-elected to hold their present positions through the coming spring. Mrs. Alan N. Jordan is president. Since the chorus is now to receive part of the funds of the Community Chest a new plan for financing the work will have to be adopted. It was unanimously voted to continue the chorus, and to leave the hiring of a director to the executive board. Tentative plans were made for a concert to be held in May.

COMMISSION TO IMPOSE TAX

The newly appointed boxing commission met last night and took up a number of matters but definitely no action was deferred until another meeting could be held owing to one absence. It is understood that the commission is figuring on collecting five percent on all gross receipts of boxing shows held in Portsmouth.

For lack of convincing evidence, Bruce Bierley, charged with larceny in connection with the alleged theft of batteries from an automobile belonging to Thesel Sprague was dismissed by Judge Sprague.

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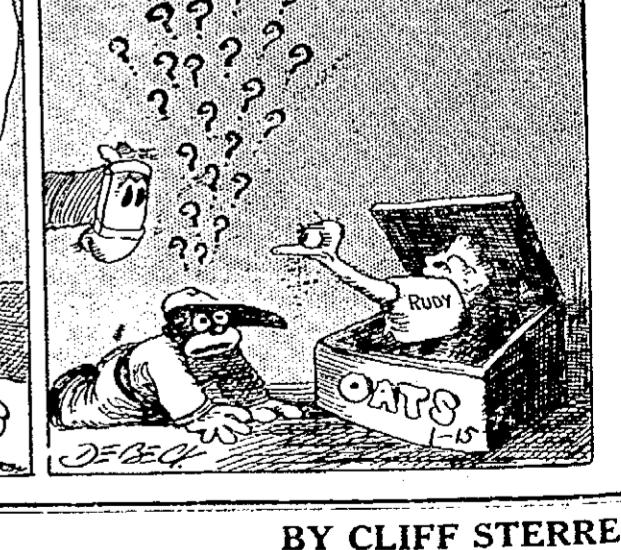
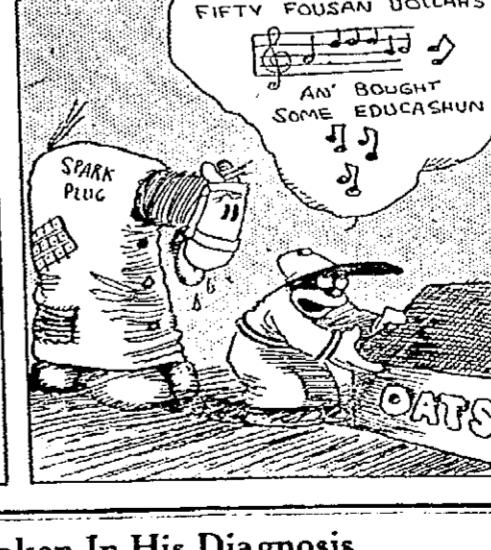


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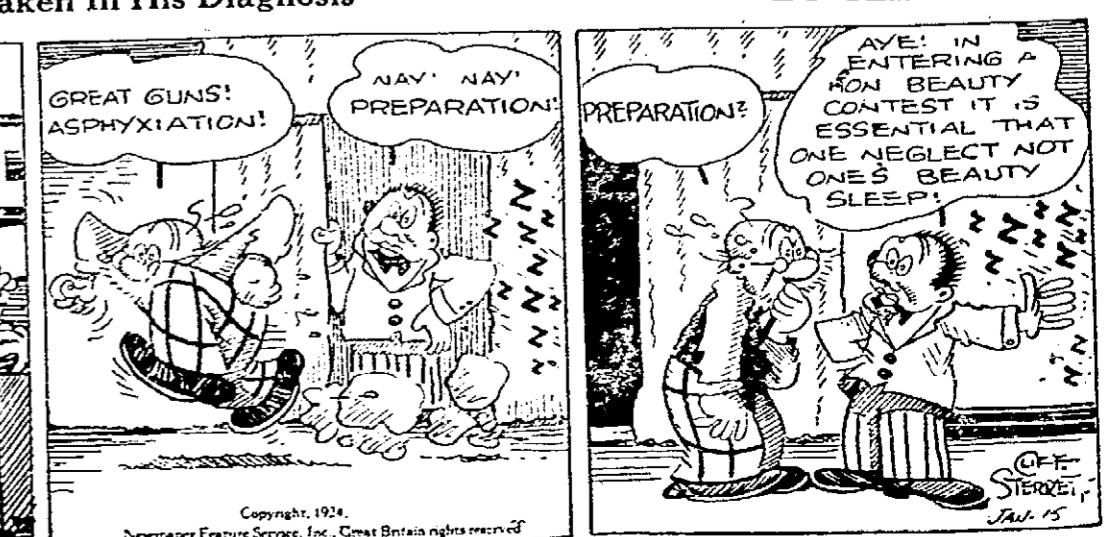
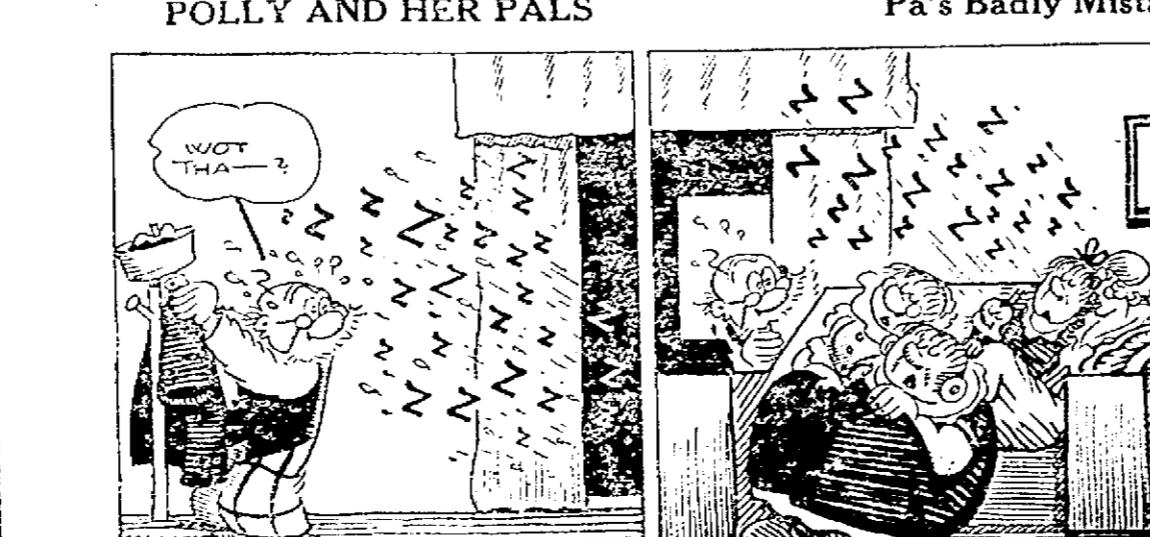
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